### **INVITATION TO BID**



## HP03-2020CHM

# SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF CONTRACEPTIVES AND HORMONE MODULATING AGENTS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE PERIOD 1 OCTOBER 2020 TO 30 SEPTEMBER 2023

**BID VALIDITY PERIOD: 120 DAYS** 

### Non-Compulsory Briefing Session:

Venue: Department of National Health, Impilo Conference Room,

Podium Level, Civitas Building, cnr. Thabo Sehume and

Struben Streets, PRETORIA, 0002

Date: 20 February 2020

Time: 10:00

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Private Bag X828, PRETORIA, 0001. Civitas Building Cnr Thabo Sehume & Struben Streets, PRETORIA 0001 Directorate: Affordable Medicines

Ref: HP03-2020CHM

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- 1. Kindly furnish the Department of Health with a tender for the supplies shown on the attached forms.
- 2. Included are the General Conditions of Contract (GCC), Special Requirements and Conditions of Contract (SRCC) as well as the Standard Bidding Document (SBD) and Pharmaceutical Bidding Document (PBD) forms listed on the annexure hereto. The Bid Response Document is available as a separate Excel file.
- 3. The complete document with the attached forms must be completed in detail and returned with your bid. (Invitation to Bid document, all pages). Each bid document must be submitted along with a CD with the electronic bid format as specified in a sealed package with the following information on the outside of the package: Bid Number and Closing date of Bid, full name and address of the Bidder, including the return address and full name of contact person.
- 4. The bid must be addressed to the Director-General, Department of Health, and be deposited into the pharmaceutical tender box as indicated on the SBD1 form not later than the closing date and time of the bid. The tender box is located at the main entrance of the Department of Health, Civitas building, located on the corner of Struben and Thabo Sehume Streets, Pretoria.

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**DIRECTOR: AFFORDABLE MEDICINES** 

For: Director-General Date: 7/2 /2020

Bidder Signature:

#### CONTACT PERSONS AT THE NATIONAL DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Please direct any queries relating to the bidding process to tenders@health.gov.za

#### **BID DOCUMENTS FOR COMPLETION AND SUBMISSION**

All bid documents listed below must be sorted, filed and submitted in the exact compilation sequence as indicated below and in Annexure A attached.

Submission of bid documents is mandatory, unless it's not applicable and indicated as such in the "N/A" column in the Bid Document Check List.

#### All bid documents must be signed.

Bidders not complying to any of the requirements will be deemed to be non-responsive and will not be considered for evaluation.

- Covering Letter i.e. limited stock availability of any item offered, non-compliance;
- Status relating to TAX, B-BBEE, License to Manufacture, Certificates etc. Bid Signature;
- Resolution/Authority to sign bid;
- Bid/File Index:
- PBD 4.1: Contact Details of Bidder;
- SBD 1: Invitation to bid;
- Tax Clearance Certificate (Current & Valid);
- Valid B-BBEE certificate (certified copy) or Sworn Affidavit to claim preference points;
- SBD 6(1): Preference Points Claimed (B-BBEE);
- CSD Registration report A certified copy of latest and complete report. Note: CSD summary report will not be accepted;
- PBD9: Directors: Categorisation by race, gender and disability;
- CIPC/CIPRO or proof of ownership/shareholding. Certified copies of registration certificates;
- SBD 4: Declaration of interest;
- SBD5: The National Industrial Participation Programme;
- SBD 8: Declaration of Past SCM Practices;
- SBD 9: Certificate of Independent Bid Determination;
- PBD1: Authorisation Declaration Note: Non-compliance to submission of a valid authorisation declaration, where applicable, may invalidate the bid;
- PBD 1.1: List of products offered sourced from third party;
- PBD 1.2: Unconditional written undertaking from the third party;

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- PBD5: Good Manufacturing Practice (GMP). Declaration of compliance;
- PBD 8: Special Requirements and Conditions of Contact. Declaration of compliance;
- Proof of company cedings, mergers and name changes;
- Certified copy of Licence to manufacture or import (in the name of the bidder),
   including all annexures;
- Certified copy of Licence to manufacture medicines, including all annexures for <u>local</u>
   <u>manufacturing</u> sites as listed on the MRC of the bidder (applicant);
- Certified copies of Medicine Registration Certificates (MRC) with all the associated conditions of registration. Note: All MRC's must be marked by the bidder with the relevant item number and be sorted and filed in numerical order;
- Original Package Insert (PI) or document detailing professional information approved by the Medicines Control Council (MCC) or the South African Health Products Regulatory Authority (SAHPRA) for each product offered. Note: All PI's must be marked with the relevant item number and be sorted and filed/submitted in numerical
- order;
- Proof of sample submission;
- Bidder's item list (List of products offered); and
- Signed Excel Bid Response Pricing Schedule (All prices must be submitted in 2 (two) decimals). If the Excel Bid response Pricing Schedule is not signed in the space provided, the bid will nog be considered for evaluation.

#### **COMPLETION OF DOCUMENTS AND BID SUBMISSION**

Bidders are required to submit three sets of bid documents according to the instructions below. All three sets must be submitted not later than the closing date and time. Set 2 and Set 3 must be included on a CD with Set 1 submitted in a sealed package. The full name and address of the bidder, including the return address, the bid number and the closing date must be clearly indicated on the package. All fields must be completed. Where information requested is not relevant this should be indicated with N/A.

Bidder Signature:	

#### Set 1: Hard copy (legally binding bid documents)

Bidders must complete all SBD, PBD and Bid Response forms in black ink, typed. Where no electronic entry field is provided bidders must complete the forms in black ink, handwritten in capital letters. The signed hard copy of the bid document will serve as the legal bid document.

Bidders must submit their complete bid in hard copy format (paper document). The Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer, or authorised designee of the entity submitting the bid must sign the official signature pages. All pages in the complete bid document must be initialed by same with black ink. The use of correction fluid is not acceptable. Any change/s must be clearly indicated and initialed.

Do not use binding methods like coil, comb, wire, velobind, screw binding etc.

Pre-punch two holes on the left hand side of bid documents suitable for filing in a two hole lever arch file.

Tie bid documents in parcels using string or rope that can be easily untied for filing purposes.

#### Set 2: PDF of Hard Copy, signed legal documents. (i.e. pdf of Set 1)

Bidders must submit a PDF version of the entire signed hardcopy bid, including all certificates and documents requested.

#### Set 3: Electronic version of bid documents

Bidders must submit the electronic versions (editable pdf) of all SBD and PBD documents, Bid Response Document and other relevant spreadsheets in Excel (not pdf).

All three sets of information must be submitted in order for the bid to be evaluated.

Bidders must ensure that the price quoted for a product (line item) on the Excel Bid Response Document is for the unit pack specified. No conversion factors will be applied.

Bidder Signature:	
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INVITATION TO BID SBD 1

# YOU ARE HEREBY INVITED TO BID FOR REQUIREMENTS OF THE NATIONAL DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

BID NUMBER: HP03-2020CHM

CLOSING DATE: 9 MARCH 2020 CLOSING TIME:11:00

#### DESCRIPTION

Supply and Delivery of Contraceptives and Hormone Modulating Agents to the Department of Health for the period 1 October 2020 to 30 September 2023

Bid documents must be addressed as follows and delivered before the closing date and time:

#### Addressed to:

The Director-General: Health Civitas Building C/o Struben and Thabo Sehume Streets, Pretoria

#### Delivered to:

Pharmaceutical Tender Box Reception Area National Department of Health Civitas Building, C/o Struben and Thabo Sehume Streets, Pretoria

Bidders should ensure that bids are delivered on time to the correct address and deposited in the Pharmaceutical Tender Box. Late bids will not be accepted for consideration

The Pharmaceutical Tender Box is generally accessible during extended working hours. See below for map locating Civitas Building within Pretoria Central Business District.



ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS

This competitive bidding process is subject to the Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act and the Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2011, the General Conditions of Contract (GCC) and, if applicable, any other Special Requirements and Conditions of Contract.

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# PART A INVITATION TO BID

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<sup>2020/02/07</sup> SBD1

# PART B TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR BIDDING

#### 1. BID SUBMISSION:

- 1.1. BIDS MUST BE DELIVERED BY THE STIPULATED TIME TO THE CORRECT ADDRESS. LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED FOR CONSIDERATION.
- 1.2. ALL BIDS MUST BE SUBMITTED ON THE OFFICIAL FORMS PROVIDED—(NOT TO BE RE-TYPED) OR IN THE MANNER PRESCRIBED IN THE BID DOCUMENT.
- 1.3. THIS BID IS SUBJECT TO THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREME NT POLICY FRAMEWORK ACT, 2000 AND THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS, 2017, THE GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT (GCC) AND, IF APPLICABLE, ANY OTHER SPECIAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT.
- 1.4. THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER WILL BE REQUIRED TO FILL IN AND SIGN A WRITTEN CONTRACT FORM (SBD7).

#### 2. TAX COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

- 2.1 BIDDERS MUST ENSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THEIR TAX OBLIGATIONS.
- 2.2 BIDDERS ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT THEIR UNIQUE PERSONAL IDENTIFICATION NUMBER (PIN) ISSUED BY SARS TO ENABLE THE ORGAN OF STATE TO VERIFY THE TAXPAYER'S PROFILE AND TAX STATUS.
- 2.3 APPLICATION FOR TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS (TCS) PIN MAY BE MADE VIA E-FILING THROUGH THE SARS WEBSITE WWW.SARS.GOV.ZA.
- 2.4 BIDDERS MAY ALSO SUBMIT A PRINTED TCS CERTIFICATE TOGETHER WITH THE BID.
- 2.5 IN BIDS WHERE CONSORTIA / JOINT VENTURES / SUB-CONTRACTORS ARE INVOLVED, EACH PARTY MUST SUBMIT A SEPARATE TCS CERTIFICATE / PIN / CSD NUMBER.
- 2.6 WHERE NO TCS PIN IS AVAILABLE BUT THE BIDDER IS REGI STERED ON THE CENTRAL SUPPLIER DATABASE (CSD), A CSD NUMBER MUST BE PROVIDED.
- 2.7 NO BIDS WILL BE CONSIDERED FROM PERSONS IN THE SERVI CE OF THE STATE, COMPANIES WITH DIRECTORS WHO ARE PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE, OR CLOSE CORPORATIONS WITH MEMBERS PERSONS IN THE SERVICE OF THE STATE."

NB: FAILURE TO PRO\	/IDE / OR COMPLY WITH	ANY OF THE ABOVE PA	RTICULARS MAY RENDER THE BID INVALID.
SIGNATURE OF BIL	DDER:		
	WHICH THIS BID IS Sust be submitted e.g.		
DATE:			

**SUPPLIER DETAILS:** 



CONTRACT NUMBER:

**PBD4.1** 

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Legal entity / with bank						
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Telephone				Fax		
Cell				Other		
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**PBD 4.1** 

#### **SIGNATURE FOR PBD4.1**

I / we, the undersigned, herewith certify that all of the above information is correct at the time of completion. I/ we furthermore certify that I / we have the appropriate authority to furnish the above-mentioned information on behalf of our employer.

Name:	Signature
Designation:	Date
Name:	Signature
Designation:	Date

## PREFERENCE POINTS CLAIM FORM IN TERMS OF THE PREFERENTIAL PROCUREMENT REGULATIONS 2017

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, 2017.

#### 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 R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included); and
  - the 90/10 system for requirements with a Rand value above R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included).

1.2

- a) The value of this bid is estimated to exceed R50 000 000 (all applicable taxes included) and therefore the 90/10 preference point system shall be applicable; or
- b) Either the 80/20 or 90/10 preference point system will be applicable to this tender (delete whichever is not applicable for this tender).
- 1.3 Points for this bid shall be awarded for:
  - (a) Price; and
  - (b) B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor.
- 1.4 The maximum points for this bid are allocated as follows:

	POINTS
PRICE	90
B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTOR	10
Total points for Price and B-BBEE must not exceed	100

- 1.5 Failure on the part of a bidder to submit proof of B-BBEE Status level of contributor together with the bid, will be interpreted to mean that preference points for B-BBEE status level of contribution are not claimed.
- 1.6 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

- (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

$$Ps = 80\left(1 - \frac{Pt - P\min}{P\min}\right)$$
 or  $Ps = 90\left(1 - \frac{Pt - P\min}{P\min}\right)$ 

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

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

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6.1	B-BBEE Status	Level of Con	tributo	or: .	= .	(maximur	n of 1	10 or 20 pc	oints)

(Points claimed in respect of paragraph 7.1 must be in accordance with the table reflected in paragraph 4.1 and must be substantiated by relevant proof of B-BBEE status level of contributor.

#### 7. SUB-CONTRACTING

7.1 Will any portion of the contract be sub-contracted?

(Tick applicable box)

YES	NO	

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i)	What	percentage	of	the	contract	will	be
	subcontr	acted		%			

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 or QSE

(Tick applicable box)
YES NO

v) Specify, by ticking the appropriate box, if subcontracting with an enterprise in terms of Preferential Procurement Regulations, 2017:

Designated Group: An EME or QSE which is at last 51% owned by:	EME √	QSE √
Black people		
Black people who are youth		
Black people who are women		
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	

8.	DECLARATION WITH REGARD TO COMPANY/FIRM
8.1	Name of company/firm:
8.2	VAT registration number:
8.3	Company registration number:
8.4	TYPE OF COMPANY/ FIRM
	<ul> <li>□ Partnership/Joint Venture / Consortium</li> <li>□ One person business/sole propriety</li> <li>□ Close corporation</li> <li>□ Company</li> <li>□ (Pty) Limited</li> <li>[TICK APPLICABLE BOX]</li> </ul>
8.5	DESCRIBE PRINCIPAL BUSINESS ACTIVITIES
8.6	COMPANY CLASSIFICATION
	<ul> <li>Manufacturer</li> <li>Supplier</li> <li>Professional service provider</li> <li>Other service providers, e.g. transporter, etc.</li> <li>[TICK APPLICABLE BOX]</li> </ul>
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;
	<ul> <li>ii) The preference points claimed are in accordance with the General Conditions as indicated in paragraph 1 of this form;</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>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;</li> </ul>

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.

WITNESSES		
1		NATURE(S) OF BIDDERS(S)
2	DATE: ADDRESS	

# DIRECTORS: CATEGORISATION OF RACE, GENDER AND DISABILITY COMPLETE ALL FIELDS ELECTRONICALLY AND SIGN

Full Names	Surname	Identity Number or foreigner Passport Number	Age (Number)	Race	Gender (Male/Female)	Disability (Yes/No)
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SIGNED:

Bidder Signature:

#### **DECLARATION OF INTEREST**

- 1. Any legal person, including persons employed by the state<sup>1</sup>, or persons having a kinship with persons employed by the state, including a blood relationship, may make an offer or offers in terms of this invitation to bid (includes an advertised competitive bid, a limited bid, a proposal or written price quotation). In view of possible allegations of favouritism, should the resulting bid, or part thereof, be awarded to persons employed by the state, or to persons connected with or related to them, it is required that the bidder or his/her authorized representative declare his/her position in relation to the evaluating/adjudicating authority where-
  - the bidder is employed by the state; and/or
  - the legal person on whose behalf the bidding document is signed, has a relationship with persons/a person who are/is involved in the evaluation and or adjudication of the bid(s), or where it is known that such a relationship exists between the person or persons for or on whose behalf the declarant acts and persons who are involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of the bid.

2.	In order to give effect to the above, the folloand submitted with the bid.	wing ques	tionnaire m	ust be com	pleted
2.1	Full name of bidder :				
2.1.1	Represented by (Full Name):				
2.2	Identity Number:				
2.3	Position occupied in the company (director,				
2.4	trustee, shareholder, member) Registration number of company, enterprise, close corporation, partnership agreement or trust				
2.5	Tax Reference Number:				
2.6	VAT Registration Number:				
	ames of all directors / trustees / shareholders / members and, if applicable, employee/PERSAL numbers m		•		x reference
2.7	Are you or any person connected with the bidder presently employed by the state?  If so, furnish the following particulars	Yes		No	
2.7.1 Name of person / director / trustee / shareholder / member:					
	Name of state institution at which you or the person connected to the bidder is employed:				
	Position occupied in the state institution:				
	Any other particulars				
2.7.2	If you are presently employed by the state, did you obtain the appropriate authority to undertake remunerative work outside employment in the public sector?	Yes		No	
	If yes, did you attach proof of such authority to the bid document?	Yes		No	
2.7.3	3 If no, furnish reasons for non-submission of such proof:				
Note:	Failure to submit proof of such authority, where app	licable, may	result in disc	ualification o	of the bid.)

2.8 Did you or your spouse, or any of the company's directors /trustees / sharehold /members or their spouses conduct business with the state in the previous twelve months?	ers Yes	No
2.8.1 If so, furnish particulars:		
2.9 Do you, or any person with the bidder, he any relationship (family, friend, other) wit person employed by the state and who no be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid?	h a	No
2.9.1 If so, furnish particulars:		
2.10 Are you, or any person connected with the bidder, aware of any relationship (family friend, other) between any other bidder and any person employed by the state who may be involved with the evaluation and or adjudication of this bid?	Yes	No
2.10.1 If so, furnish particulars:		
2.11 Do you or any of the directors / trustees shareholders / members of the company have any interest in any other related companies whether or not they are bidd for this contract?	/ Yes	No
2.11.1 If so, furnish particulars:		

- (a) 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);
- (b) any municipality or municipal entity;
- (c) provincial legislature;
- (d) national Assembly or the national Council of provinces; or
- (e) Parliament.

<sup>2</sup>"Shareholder" means a person who owns shares in the company and is actively involved in the management of the enterprise or business and exercises control over the enterprise

3	Full details of directors/trustees/members/shareholders. (Attach schedule if space insufficient)					
	Full Name	Identity Number	Personal Income Tax Reference Number	State Employee Number / Persal Number		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> State" means –

#### 4. DECLARATION

I, the undersigned (full name)						
Certify that the information furnished in paragraphs 2 and 3 above is correct.						
I accept that the state may rej be false	ect the bid or act against me should this declaration prove to					
Name of bidder						
Position						
Signature						
Date						

#### This document must be signed and submitted together with your bid

#### THE NATIONAL INDUSTRIAL PARTICIPATION PROGRAMME

#### INTRODUCTION

The National Industrial Participation (NIP) Programme, which is applicable to all government procurement contracts that have an imported content, became effective on the 1 September 1996. The NIP policy and guidelines were fully endorsed by Cabinet on 30 April 1997. In terms of the Cabinet decision, all state and parastatal purchases / lease contracts (for goods, works and services) entered into after this date, are subject to the NIP requirements. NIP is obligatory and therefore must be complied with. The Industrial Participation Secretariat (IPS) of the Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) is charged with the responsibility of administering the programme.

#### 1. PILLARS OF THE PROGRAMME

- 1.1 The NIP obligation is benchmarked on the imported content of the contract. Any contract having an imported content equal to or exceeding US\$ 10 million or other currency equivalent to US\$ 10 million will have a NIP obligation. This threshold of US\$ 10 million can be reached as follows:
  - a) Any single contract with imported content exceeding US\$10 million.
  - b) Multiple contracts for the same goods, works or services each with imported content exceeding US\$3 million awarded to one seller over a 2 year period which in total exceeds US\$10 million.
  - c) A contract with a renewable option clause, where should the option be exercised the total value of the imported content will exceed US\$10 million.
  - d) Multiple suppliers of the same goods, works or services under the same contract, where the value of the imported content of each allocation is equal to or exceeds US\$ 3 million worth of goods, works or services to the same government institution, which in total over a two (2) year period exceeds US\$10 million.
- 1.2 The NIP obligation applicable to suppliers in respect of sub-paragraphs 1.1 (a) to 1.1 (c) above will amount to 30% of the imported content whilst suppliers in respect of paragraph 1.1 (d) shall incur 30% of the total NIP obligation on a *pro-rata* basis.
- 1.3 To satisfy the NIP obligation, the DTI would negotiate and conclude agreements such as investments, joint ventures, sub-contracting, licensee production, export promotion, sourcing arrangements and research and development (R&D) with partners or suppliers.
- 1.4 A period of seven years has been identified as the time frame within which to discharge the obligation.

#### 2 REQUIREMENTS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY

- 2.1 In order to ensure effective implementation of the programme, successful bidders (contractors) are required to, immediately after the award of a contract that is in excess of R10 million (ten million Rands), submit details of such a contract to the DTI for reporting purposes.
- 2.2 The purpose for reporting details of contracts in excess of the amount of R10 million (ten million Rands) is to cater for multiple contracts for the same goods, works or services; renewable contracts and multiple suppliers for the same goods, works or services under the same contract as provided for in paragraphs 1.1.(b) to 1.1. (d) above.

# 3 BID SUBMISSION AND CONTRACT REPORTING REQUIREMENTS OF BIDDERS AND SUCCESSFUL BIDDERS (CONTRACTORS)

- 3.1 Bidders are required to sign and submit this Standard Bidding Document (SBD 5) together with the bid on the closing date and time.
- 3.2 In order to accommodate multiple contracts for the same goods, works or services; renewable contracts and multiple suppliers for the same goods, works or services under the same contract as indicated in sub-paragraphs 1.1 (b) to 1.1 (d) above and to enable the DTI in determining the NIP obligation, successful bidders (contractors) are required, immediately after being officially notified about any successful bid with a value in excess of R10 million (ten million Rands), to contact and furnish the DTI with the following information:
  - Bid/contract number.
  - Description of the goods works or services.
  - Date on which the contract was accepted.
  - Name, address and contact details of the government institution.
  - Value of the contract.
  - Imported content of the contract, if possible.
- 3.3 The information required in paragraph 3.2 above must be sent to the Department of Trade and Industry, Private Bag X84, Pretoria, 0001 for the attention of Mr Elias Malapane within five (5) working days after award of the contract. for further details about the programme, contact Mr Malapane on telephone (012) 394 1401, facsimile (012) 394 2401 or e-mail at Elias@thedti.gov.za.

#### 4 PROCESS TO SATISFY THE NIP OBLIGATION

- 4.1 Once the successful bidder (contractor) has made contact with and furnished the DTI with the information required, the following steps will be followed:
  - a) the contractor and the DTI will determine the NIP obligation;
  - b) the contractor and the DTI will sign the NIP obligation agreement;
  - c) the contractor will submit a performance guarantee to the DTI;
  - d) the contractor will submit a business concept for consideration and approval by the DTI;
  - e) upon approval of the business concept by the DTI, the contractor will submit detailed business plans outlining the business concepts;
  - f) the contractor will implement the business plans; and
  - g) the contractor will submit bi-annual progress reports on approved plans to the DTI.
- 4.2 The NIP obligation agreement is between the DTI and the successful bidder (contractor) and, therefore, does not involve the purchasing institution.

Bid number	Closing date:	9 MARCH 2020
Name of bidder		
Postal Address		
	Postal Code	
Name in print		
Position		
Signature:	Date:	

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#### **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.
- 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
4.1	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?  (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 <u>audi alteram partem</u> rule was applied).  The Database of Restricted Suppliers now resides on the National Treasury's website ( <a href="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.		
4.1.1	If so, furnish particulars:		
4.2	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)? Register for Tender Defaulters can be accessed on the National Treasury's website (www.treasury.gov.za) by clicking on its link at the bottom of the home page.		
4.2.1	If so, furnish particulars:		

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4.3	Was the bidder or any of its directors convicted by a court of law				
	(including a court outside of the Republic of South Africa) for fraud or				
	corruption du	uring the past five years?			
4.3.1	If so, furnish	particulars:	ı		
4.4	-	ntract between the bidder and any organ of state terminated ast five years on account of failure to perform on or comply with?			
4.4.1	If so, furnish particulars:				
	I	Certification			
I, the	I, the undersigned				
addition to be fa	certify that the information furnished on this declaration form is 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.  I accept that the state may reject the bid or act against me should this declaration prove to be false.				
Name o	of bidder:				
Position	n:				
Signatu	ıre:	Date			

#### CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

- 1. This Standard Bidding Document (SBD) 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). Collusive bidding is a *pe se* prohibition meaning that it cannot be justified under any grounds.
  - <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
- 3. Treasury Regulation 16A9 prescribes that accounting officers and accounting authorities must take all reasonable steps to prevent abuse of the supply chain management system and authorizes accounting officers and accounting authorities to:
  - a. disregard the bid of any bidder if that bidder, or any of its directors have abused the institution's supply chain management system and or committed fraud or any other improper conduct in relation to such system.
  - cancel a contract awarded to a supplier of goods and services if the supplier committed any corrupt or fraudulent act during the bidding process or the execution of that contract.
- 4. This SBD 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 (SBD9) must be completed and submitted with the bid:

#### CERTIFICATE OF INDEPENDENT BID DETERMINATION

I, the undersigned, in submitting the accompanying bid,
in response to the invitation for the bid made by the Department Of Health, do hereby make the following
statements that I certify to be true and complete in every respect:
I certify, on behalf of

#### that

- 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 authorised 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 authorised by the bidder to determine the terms of, and to sign the bid, on behalf of the bidder;

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- 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 consortium³ 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.
- 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.

Name of Bidder		
Full Name		
Postion		
Signature	Date	

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.

Bidder Signature:	

PBD1



#### **AUTHORISATION DECLARATION (PBD1)**

NAME OF THE BIDDER									
Are	you	sourcing	the produ	ıcts from a th	ird party?	Ye	s	No	
					question, please products		etails in the	e table below of	
1.		•		where the bid	der is sourcing the	e products fro	m a third p	arty.	
	1.1	The bide	der is so	urcing the pro			attached, f	rom a third party	in
	1.2							e bid and the third sted in the PBD1.1	
	1.3 The bidder has received the attached, unconditional written undertaking from the third party to supply the products listed in the PBD1.1 in accordance with the terms and conditions of the bid document for the duration of the contract. A template has been attached (PBD1.2) that is to be used for the purpose of the third party undertaking.					the			
	1.4				nancial and suppose the bidder and the		ents for th	ne products have	been
2.	The b	oidder decl	lares that	the information	n contained herein	is true and c	orrect.		
3.	infor		ntained the	erein and if for	•			right to verify ny remedies availa	
Sign	ed at				on the		day of		
Full	Name	S				1 1		l	
	gnatio	n							
Sign	ature								

### List of the products offered sourced from third party

Bid Item No	Brand Name	Name of the company from where the products will be sourced	Address and contact details of the company from where the products will be sourced

**PBD1.1** 

#### List of the products offered sourced from third party - continued

Bid Item No	Brand Name	Name of the company from where the products will be sourced	Address and contact details of the company from where the products will be sourced

(Should the table provided not be sufficient for all the items offered, please provide additional information as an attachment and it must be properly referenced to this document)

### Template for unconditional written undertaking from the third party

Note:		
The authorisation le	tter must be on the official letterhead of the third p	party
A separate letter mi	ust be included for each third party	
The authorisation le	tter must be addressed to the Bidding Company	
Name of Bidding Co	ompany:	<del></del>
Address of Bidding	Company:	
Attention:		
Dear Sir/Madam		
AUTHORISATION	LETTER: CONTRACT NO	_
We,	(Na	ame of Third Party)
	ou,(N	
	w in your bid submission for the abovementioned	
	<ul> <li>have firm supply arrangements in place, and happed pecifications and bid conditions relating to item/s</li> </ul>	
descriptions, s	pecifications and bid conditions relating to item/s	iisted below.
Item no.	Description of product	Brand name
	rovided not be sufficient for all the items offered, ttachment and it must be properly referenced to t	
Yours faithfully,		
Signature of the Thi	rd Party:	Date:

PBD5

# PBD5 DECLARATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH GOOD MANUFACTURING PRACTICE (GMP)

To be signed by the Chief Executive Officer of the Company in terms of this bid.

	ame) being the Chief	f Executive Officer		
Of				
	isation name) herebaken to ensure that:	y certify that to the best of my ki	nowledge all reasonable steps have	
a)		anding or impending GMP or legal pany's ability to perform in terms of		
b)		laration, I undertake to inform the E es that may result in interrupted supp	Department of Health at first knowledge bly.	
c)	(Organisation name	e)	has complied with all the	
	legal requirements as stipulated in terms of Medicines and Related Substances Act 101 o			
	1965, as amended,	: for such products offered.		
	Full Name of Chief	Executive Officer		
		r/or equivalent of the Chief Executiv		
	Signature of Chief E	executive Officer		
	Signature of Witnes	;s		
	Signed	at	Date	

# PBD 8: DECLARATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS AND CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

То	be signed by the Chief Executive Officer of the Company in terms of this bid.
I,	(Full name)
bei	ng the Chief Executive Officer
of	(Organisation name)
her tha	reby declare that to the best of my knowledge all reasonable steps have been taken to ensure t:
a)	(Organisation name)
	with all the legal requirements as provided in the Medicines and Related Substances Act
b)	101 of 1965, as amended, for such products offered;  There are no outstanding or impending matters (including GMP or legal) that may have a
-,	material impact on the Company's ability to perform in terms of this contract
	erms of this declaration, I undertake to inform the Department of Health at first knowledge of any umstances that may result in interrupted supply of product if the contract is awarded.
	ther declare that
	(Organisation name)
	comply with the requirements and conditions as stipulated in the Special Requirements and ditions of Contract
	Full Name of Chief Executive Officer
	Full Identity Number/or equivalent of the Chief Executive Officer
	Signature of Chief Executive Officer
	Signature of Witness
	Date Signed at

Definition of fields in Bid Response Document, to be read in conjunction with the Special Requirements and Conditions of Contract **Field Definition Field Name** FIELDS WHICH ARE PRE-FILLED AND MAY NOT BE ALTERED Item Number The relevant item number which will be used throughout the contract period. Each item number is linked to a specification Item Specification The specification of the item for which a call for bids has been issued, as linked to the item number. Unit The unit of measure for the specification. This determines how the estimates are expressed and how the price should be quoted. This may be one injection or one pack of 100 tablets, etc. Estimate The estimated quantities associated with the item number and specification, for the full contract period. Estimates are expressed in unit packs. FIELDS WHICH ARE TO BE COMPLETED BY THE BIDDER FOR ALL ITEMS ON WHICH BIDS ARE **OFFERED** Registered legal The full, registered, legal name of the bidder, as on VAT registration certificate and name of bidder Medicine Registration Certificate applicant. The volume of the item (expressed in units) which the bidder can provide Quantity for full period during the complete period of the tender Final price offered by a bidder for an item number as per specification, which Delivered price in ZAR includes VAT and delivery. Must be the price for a unit as advertised. Registered Product Name Brand name. Must correspond with Medicine Registration Certificate (1) GW12/7 Confirm whether or not the product on offer conforms exactly to the Item Conforms to specification? Specification. If NO: Detail deviation Detail exact deviation from Item Specification, as per registration of product on from specification. offer. **Product Registration** As per Medicine Registration Certificate Certificate(2) GW12/7 Number License to Manufacture As per License to Manufacture Medicines – this must correspond with the Medicines: document submitted License Number , Expiry date Pack Size Offered: Unit Single unit offered according to specification in numbers e.g. each (1) This must pack correspond with the delivered price. Pack Size Offered: Shelf Number of Unit Packs within the smallest wrap (e.g. 10 ampoules) Pack Standard units in: Shipper Number of unit packs in a shipper / bulk box Pack Lead-Time Interval between receipt of an order until delivery at facility which placed the order. Must not exceed 14 calendar days. Initial lead time Interval between award of the tender and ability to fill an order. This must not exceed 75 calendar days. Minimum Order Quantity The lowest acceptable quantity for a given purchase order. Batch size for the bid Batch size, expressed in number of units item, in number of packs Monthly batch capacity that will be assigned for the bid item for the duration of the Monthly batch capacity contract expressed in number of batches. Do you require a technical amendment to perform according to the conditions of Technical amendment your bid Y/N required? If YES: Provide details Provide all relevant details (can be provided in a covering letter)

Definition of fields in Bid Res Conditions of Contract	ponse Document, to be read in conjunction with the Special Requirements and
Field Name	Field Definition
EAN 13 Barcode for Unit Pack	Provide Number
EAN 13 Barcode for Shelf Pack	Provide Number
ITF14 Barcode for Shipper Pack	Provide Number
2D Barcode or Similar	Provide Number
NAPPI Code	Provide Code
Manufacturer	As per MCC Certificate (8) GW12/7 – List all sources
SEP Price	The most recently approved Single Exit Price expressed in corresponding unit to bid
Are any of the listed manufacturers etc. 3rd parties to the bidder?	Y/N If YES - complete PBD1 and include letter(s) of authorisation as applicable
API Source Full Site Name (x3)	Full name of API source, including company name and site – List all sources
API Source Full Address	Full physical address of API source – List all sources
API Source Country	Country of API source – List all sources
API Source Contact	Listed contact information
Note: VAT must be apportio	PRICING COMPONENT BREAKDOWN ned equally across all components. Please see pricing section in Special Conditions
Percentage of Delivered Price attributable to API	The percentage of the Delivered Price associated with API, (the therapeutically active component of the medicine). Should an item be imported as finished product, the component may be reflected as part of formulation cost.
Imported (API)	Portion of API component attributable to imported expenditure
Percentage of Delivered Price attributable to Formulation	The percentage of the delivered price associated with Formulation, (includes all operations in the process of which different chemical substances, including the API, are combined to produce a final medicinal product), includes material, processing, production, quality assurance and related controls.
Local (Formulation)	Portion of Formulation component attributable to local expenditure
Imported (Formulation)	Portion of Formulation component attributable to imported expenditure
Packaging	The percentage of the Delivered Price associated with Packaging, where packaging includes all operations in the process of packaging medicine into primary and/or secondary packaging, packaging material and labels.
Local (Packaging)	Portion of Packaging component attributable to local expenditure
Imported (Packaging)	Portion of Packaging component attributable to imported expenditure
Logistics	Percentage of delivered price associated with logistics, where logistics includes all operations, taking place within the Republic of South Africa, relating to the storage, distribution and transportation of medicine to the healthcare facility or pharmaceutical depot.
Gross Margin	Percentage of delivered price not associated with API, Formulation, Packaging, or Logistics.
Currency	Primary currency in which manufacturer trades for imported components

### THE NATIONAL TREASURY

### Republic of South Africa



# GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT: GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

**July 2010** 

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### **GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT**

### GENERAL CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT July 2010

#### **NOTES**

The purpose of this document is to:

- (i) Draw special attention to certain general conditions applicable to government bids, contracts and orders; and
- (ii) To ensure that clients be familiar with regard to the rights and obligations of all parties involved in doing business with government.

In this document words in the singular also mean in the plural and vice versa and words in the masculine also mean in the feminine and neuter.

- The General Conditions of Contract will form part of all bid documents and may not be amended.
- Special Conditions of Contract (SCC) relevant to a specific bid, should be compiled separately for every bid (if (applicable) and will supplement the General Conditions of Contract. Whenever there is a conflict, the provisions in the SCC shall prevail.

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#### **General Conditions of Contract**

#### 1. Definitions

- 1. The following terms shall be interpreted as indicated:
- 1.1 "Closing time" means the date and hour specified in the bidding documents for the receipt of bids.
- 1.2 "Contract" means the written agreement entered into between the purchaser and the supplier, as recorded in the contract form signed by the parties, including all attachments and appendices thereto and all documents incorporated by reference therein.
- 1.3 "Contract price" means the price payable to the supplier under the contract for the full and proper performance of his contractual obligations.
- 1.4 "Corrupt practice" means the offering, giving, receiving, or soliciting of any thing of value to influence the action of a public official in the procurement process or in contract execution.
- 1.5 "Countervailing duties" are imposed in cases where an enterprise abroad is subsidized by its government and encouraged to market its products internationally.
- 1.6 "Country of origin" means the place where the goods were mined, grown or produced or from which the services are supplied. Goods are produced when, through manufacturing, processing or substantial and major assembly of components, a commercially recognized new product results that is substantially different in basic characteristics or in purpose or utility from its components.
- 1.7 "Day" means calendar day.
- 1.8 "Delivery" means delivery in compliance of the conditions of the contract or order.
- 1.9 "Delivery ex stock" means immediate delivery directly from stock actually on hand.
- 1.10 "Delivery into consignees store or to his site" means delivered and unloaded in the specified store or depot or on the specified site in compliance with the conditions of the contract or order, the supplier bearing all risks and charges involved until the supplies are so delivered and a valid receipt is obtained.
- 1.11 "Dumping" occurs when a private enterprise abroad market its goods on own initiative in the RSA at lower prices than that of the country of origin and which have the potential to harm the local industries in the

RSA.

- 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.
- 1.23 "SCC" means the Special Conditions of Contract.
- 1.24 "Services" means those functional services ancillary to the supply of the goods, such as transportation and any other incidental services, such as installation, commissioning, provision of technical assistance, training, catering, gardening, security, maintenance and other such

obligations of the supplier covered under the contract.

1.25 "Written" or "in writing" means handwritten in ink or any form of electronic or mechanical writing.

#### 2. Application

- 2.1 These general conditions are applicable to all bids, contracts and orders including bids for functional and professional services, sales, hiring, letting and the granting or acquiring of rights, but excluding immovable property, unless otherwise indicated in the bidding documents.
- 2.2 Where applicable, special conditions of contract are also laid down to cover specific supplies, services or works.
- 2.3 Where such special conditions of contract are in conflict with these general conditions, the special conditions shall apply.

#### 3. General

- 3.1 Unless otherwise indicated in the bidding documents, the purchaser shall not be liable for any expense incurred in the preparation and submission of a bid. Where applicable a non-refundable fee for documents may be charged.
- 3.2 With certain exceptions, invitations to bid are only published in the Government Tender Bulletin. The Government Tender Bulletin may be obtained directly from the Government Printer, Private Bag X85, Pretoria 0001, or accessed electronically from www.treasury.gov.za

#### 4. Standards

4.1 The goods supplied shall conform to the standards mentioned in the bidding documents and specifications.

# 5. Use of contract documents and information; inspection.

- 5.1 The supplier shall not, without the purchaser's prior written consent, disclose the contract, or any provision thereof, or any specification, plan, drawing, pattern, sample, or information furnished by or on behalf of the purchaser in connection therewith, to any person other than a person employed by the supplier in the performance of the contract. Disclosure to any such employed person shall be made in confidence and shall extend only so far as may be necessary for purposes of such performance.
- 5.2 The supplier shall not, without the purchaser's prior written consent, make use of any document or information mentioned in GCC clause 5.1 except for purposes of performing the contract.
- 5.3 Any document, other than the contract itself mentioned in GCC clause 5.1 shall remain the property of the purchaser and shall be returned (all copies) to the purchaser on completion of the supplier's performance under the contract if so required by the purchaser.
- 5.4 The supplier shall permit the purchaser to inspect the supplier's records relating to the performance of the supplier and to have them audited by auditors appointed by the purchaser, if so required by the purchaser.

#### 6. Patent rights

6.1 The supplier shall indemnify the purchaser against all third-party claims of infringement of patent, trademark, or industrial design rights arising from use of the goods or any part thereof by the purchaser.

## 7. Performance security

- 7.1 Within thirty (30) days of receipt of the notification of contract award, the successful bidder shall furnish to the purchaser the performance security of the amount specified in SCC.
- 7.2 The proceeds of the performance security shall be payable to the purchaser as compensation for any loss resulting from the supplier's failure to complete his obligations under the contract.
- 7.3 The performance security shall be denominated in the currency of the contract, or in a freely convertible currency acceptable to the purchaser and shall be in one of the following forms:
  - (a) a bank guarantee or an irrevocable letter of credit issued by a reputable bank located in the purchaser's country or abroad, acceptable to the purchaser, in the form provided in the bidding documents or another form acceptable to the purchaser; or
  - (b) a cashier's or certified cheque
- 7.4 The performance security will be discharged by the purchaser and returned to the supplier not later than thirty (30) days following the date of completion of the supplier's performance obligations under the contract, including any warranty obligations, unless otherwise specified in SCC.

## 8. Inspections, tests and analyses

- 8.1 All pre-bidding testing will be for the account of the bidder.
- 8.2 If it is a bid condition that supplies to be produced or services to be rendered should at any stage during production or execution or on completion be subject to inspection, the premises of the bidder or contractor shall be open, at all reasonable hours, for inspection by a representative of the Department or an organization acting on behalf of the Department.
- 8.3 If there are no inspection requirements indicated in the bidding documents and no mention is made in the contract, but during the contract period it is decided that inspections shall be carried out, the purchaser shall itself make the necessary arrangements, including payment arrangements with the testing authority concerned.
- 8.4 If the inspections, tests and analyses referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 show the supplies to be in accordance with the contract requirements, the cost of the inspections, tests and analyses shall be defrayed by the purchaser.
- 8.5 Where the supplies or services referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 do not comply with the contract requirements, irrespective of whether such supplies or services are accepted or not, the cost in connection with these inspections, tests or analyses shall be defrayed by the supplier.
- 8.6 Supplies and services which are referred to in clauses 8.2 and 8.3 and which do not comply with the contract requirements may be rejected.
- 8.7 Any contract supplies may on or after delivery be inspected, tested or

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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- (d) performance or supervision or maintenance and/or repair of the supplied goods, for a period of time agreed by the parties, provided that this service shall not relieve the supplier of any warranty obligations under this contract; and
- (e) training of the purchaser's personnel, at the supplier's plant and/or on-site, in assembly, start-up, operation, maintenance, and/or repair of the supplied goods.
- 13.2 Prices charged by the supplier for incidental services, if not included in the contract price for the goods, shall be agreed upon in advance by the parties and shall not exceed the prevailing rates charged to other parties by the supplier for similar services.

#### 14. Spare parts

- 14.1 As specified in SCC, the supplier may be required to provide any or all of the following materials, notifications, and information pertaining to spare parts manufactured or distributed by the supplier:
  - (a) such spare parts as the purchaser may elect to purchase from the supplier, provided that this election shall not relieve the supplier of any warranty obligations under the contract; and
  - (b) in the event of termination of production of the spare parts:
    - (i) Advance notification to the purchaser of the pending termination, in sufficient time to permit the purchaser to procure needed requirements; and
    - (ii)following such termination, furnishing at no cost to the purchaser, the blueprints, drawings, and specifications of the spare parts, if requested.

#### 15. Warranty

- 15.1 The supplier warrants that the goods supplied under the contract are new, unused, of the most recent or current models, and that they incorporate all recent improvements in design and materials unless provided otherwise in the contract. The supplier further warrants that all goods supplied under this contract shall have no defect, arising from design, materials, or workmanship (except when the design and/or material is required by the purchaser's specifications) or from any act or omission of the supplier, that may develop under normal use of the supplied goods in the conditions prevailing in the country of final destination.
- 15.2 This warranty shall remain valid for twelve (12) months after the goods, or any portion thereof as the case may be, have been delivered to and accepted at the final destination indicated in the contract, or for eighteen (18) months after the date of shipment from the port or place of loading in the source country, whichever period concludes earlier, unless specified otherwise in SCC.
- 15.3 The purchaser shall promptly notify the supplier in writing of any claims arising under this warranty.
- 15.4 Upon receipt of such notice, the supplier shall, within the period specified in SCC and with all reasonable speed, repair or replace the defective goods or parts thereof, without costs to the purchaser.
- 15.5 If the supplier, having been notified, fails to remedy the defect(s) within the period specified in SCC, the purchaser may proceed to take

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. Delays in the supplier's 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 be ratified by the parties by amendment of contract.
- 21.3 No provision in a contract shall be deemed to prohibit the obtaining of supplies or services from a national department, provincial department, or a local authority.
- 21.4 The right is reserved to procure outside of the contract small quantities or to have minor essential services executed if an emergency arises, the

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- 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.
- 21.5 Except as provided under GCC Clause 25, a delay by the supplier in the performance of its delivery obligations shall render the supplier liable to the imposition of penalties, pursuant to GCC Clause 22, unless an extension of time is agreed upon pursuant to GCC Clause 21.2 without the application of penalties.
- 21.6 Upon any delay beyond the delivery period in the case of a supplies contract, the purchaser shall, without canceling the contract, be entitled to purchase supplies of a similar quality and up to the same quantity in substitution of the goods not supplied in conformity with the contract and to return any goods delivered later at the supplier's expense and risk, or to cancel the contract and buy such goods as may be required to complete the contract and without prejudice to his other rights, be entitled to claim damages from the supplier.

#### 22. Penalties

22.1 Subject to GCC Clause 25, if the supplier fails to deliver any or all of the goods or to perform the services within the period(s) specified in the contract, the purchaser shall, without prejudice to its other remedies under the contract, deduct from the contract price, as a penalty, a sum calculated on the delivered price of the delayed goods or unperformed services using the current prime interest rate calculated for each day of the delay until actual delivery or performance. The purchaser may also consider termination of the contract pursuant to GCC Clause 23.

## 23. Termination for default

- 23.1 The purchaser, without prejudice to any other remedy for breach of contract, by written notice of default sent to the supplier, may terminate this contract in whole or in part:
  - (a) if the supplier fails to deliver any or all of the goods within the period(s) specified in the contract, or within any extension thereof granted by the purchaser pursuant to GCC Clause 21.2;
  - (b) if the Supplier fails to perform any other obligation(s) under the contract; or
  - (c) if the supplier, in the judgment of the purchaser, has engaged in corrupt or fraudulent practices in competing for or in executing the contract.
- 23.2 In the event the purchaser terminates the contract in whole or in part, the purchaser may procure, upon such terms and in such manner as it deems appropriate, goods, works or services similar to those undelivered, and the supplier shall be liable to the purchaser for any excess costs for such similar goods, works or services. However, the supplier shall continue performance of the contract to the extent not terminated.
- 23.3 Where the purchaser terminates the contract in whole or in part, the purchaser may decide to impose a restriction penalty on the supplier by prohibiting such supplier from doing business with the public sector for a period not exceeding 10 years.
- 23.4 If a purchaser intends imposing a restriction on a supplier or any

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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 following information:
  - (i) the name and address of the supplier and / or person restricted by the purchaser;
  - (ii) the date of commencement of the restriction
  - (iii) the period of restriction; and
  - (iv) the reasons for the restriction.

These details will be loaded in the National Treasury's central database of suppliers or persons prohibited from doing business with the public sector.

- 23.7 If a court of law convicts a person of an offence as contemplated in sections 12 or 13 of the Prevention and Combating of Corrupt Activities Act, No. 12 of 2004, the court may also rule that such person's name be endorsed on the Register for Tender Defaulters. When a person's name has been endorsed on the Register, the person will be prohibited from doing business with the public sector for a period not less than five years and not more than 10 years. The National Treasury is empowered to determine the period of restriction and each case will be dealt with on its own merits. According to section 32 of the Act the Register must be open to the public. The Register can be perused on the National Treasury website.
- 24. Anti-dumping and countervailing duties and rights
- 24.1 When, after the date of bid, provisional payments are required, or antidumping or countervailing duties are imposed, or the amount of a
  provisional payment or anti-dumping or countervailing right is
  increased in respect of any dumped or subsidized import, the State is
  not liable for any amount so required or imposed, or for the amount of
  any such increase. When, after the said date, such a provisional
  payment is no longer required or any such anti-dumping or
  countervailing right is abolished, or where the amount of such
  provisional payment or any such right is reduced, any such favourable
  difference shall on demand be paid forthwith by the contractor to the
  State or the State may deduct such amounts from moneys (if any)
  which may otherwise be due to the contractor in regard to supplies or
  services which he delivered or rendered, or is to deliver or render in
  terms of the contract or any other contract or any other amount which

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

- 27.1 If any dispute or difference of any kind whatsoever arises between the purchaser and the supplier in connection with or arising out of the contract, the parties shall make every effort to resolve amicably such dispute or difference by mutual consultation.
- 27.2 If, after thirty (30) days, the parties have failed to resolve their dispute or difference by such mutual consultation, then either the purchaser or the supplier may give notice to the other party of his intention to commence with mediation. No mediation in respect of this matter may be commenced unless such notice is given to the other party.
- 27.3 Should it not be possible to settle a dispute by means of mediation, it may be settled in a South African court of law.
- 27.4 Mediation proceedings shall be conducted in accordance with the rules of procedure specified in the SCC.
- 27.5 Notwithstanding any reference to mediation and/or court proceedings herein.
  - (a) the parties shall continue to perform their respective obligations under the contract unless they otherwise agree; and
  - (b) the purchaser shall pay the supplier any monies due the supplier.

## 28. Limitation of liability

- 28.1 Except in cases of criminal negligence or willful misconduct, and in the case of infringement pursuant to Clause 6;
  - (a) the supplier shall not be liable to the purchaser, whether in contract, tort, or otherwise, for any indirect or consequential loss or damage, loss of use, loss of production, or loss of profits or interest costs, provided that this exclusion shall not apply to any obligation of the supplier to pay penalties and/or damages to the purchaser; and

(b) the aggregate liability of the supplier to the purchaser, whether under the contract, in tort or otherwise, shall not exceed the total contract price, provided that this limitation shall not apply to the cost of repairing or replacing defective equipment.

## 29. Governing language

29.1 The contract shall be written in English. All correspondence and other documents pertaining to the contract that is exchanged by the parties shall also be written in English.

### 30. Applicable law

30.1 The contract shall be interpreted in accordance with South African laws, unless otherwise specified in SCC.

#### 31. Notices

- 31.1 Every written acceptance of a bid shall be posted to the supplier concerned by registered or certified mail and any other notice to him shall be posted by ordinary mail to the address furnished in his bid or to the address notified later by him in writing and such posting shall be deemed to be proper service of such notice
- 31.2 The time mentioned in the contract documents for performing any act after such aforesaid notice has been given, shall be reckoned from the date of posting of such notice.

## 32. Taxes and duties

- 32.1 A foreign supplier shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, stamp duties, license fees, and other such levies imposed outside the purchaser's country.
- 32.2 A local supplier shall be entirely responsible for all taxes, duties, license fees, etc., incurred until delivery of the contracted goods to the purchaser.
- 32.3 No contract shall be concluded with any bidder whose tax matters are not in order. Prior to the award of a bid the Department must be in possession of a tax clearance certificate, submitted by the bidder. This certificate must be an original issued by the South African Revenue Services.

#### 33. National 33.1 Industrial Participation (NIP) Programme

The NIP Programme administered by the Department of Trade and Industry shall be applicable to all contracts that are subject to the NIP obligation.

## 34 Prohibition of Restrictive practices

- In terms of section 4 (1) (b) (iii) of the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998, as amended, an agreement between, or concerted practice by, firms, or a decision by an association of firms, is prohibited if it is between parties in a horizontal relationship and if a bidder (s) is / are or a contractor(s) was / were involved in collusive bidding (or bid rigging).
- 34.2 If a bidder(s) or contractor(s), based on reasonable grounds or evidence obtained by the purchaser, has / have engaged in the restrictive practice referred to above, the purchaser may refer the matter to the Competition Commission for investigation and possible imposition of administrative penalties as contemplated in the Competition Act No. 89 of 1998.
- 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

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terminate the contract in whole or part, and / or restrict the bidder(s) or contractor(s) from conducting business with the public sector for a period not exceeding ten (10) years and / or claim damages from the bidder(s) or contractor(s) concerned.

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#### SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS AND CONDITIONS OF CONTRACT

#### HP03-2020CHM

SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF CONTRACEPTIVES AND HORMONE MODULATING AGENTS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE 1 OCTOBER 2020 TO 30 SEPTEMBER 2023

**BID VALIDITY PERIOD: 120 DAYS** 

**CLOSING DATE AND TIME OF BID:** 

9 MARCH 2020 AT 11:00



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#### **ABBREVIATIONS**

API : Active Pharmaceutical Ingredient

BAC : Bid Adjudication Committee

B-BBEE : Broad-Based Black Economic Empowerment

CPA : Contract Price Adjustment

CSD : Central Supplier Database

EAN : European Article Numbering

EME : Exempted Micro Enterprise

GMP : Good Manufacturing Practice

MCC : Medicines Control Council

MHPL : Master Health Products List

MPC : Master Procurement Catalogue

NDoH : National Department of Health

PPPFA : Preferential Procurement Policy Framework Act

QSE : Qualifying Small Enterprise

RoE : Rate of Exchange

SAHPRA : South African Health Products Regulatory Authority

SARS : South African Revenue Service

SBD : Standard Bidding Document

VAT : Value- Added Tax

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#### **BID DOCUMENT CHECK LIST**

All bid documents listed below must be sorted, filed and submitted in the exact compilation sequence as indicated below and the annexure attached.

Submission of bid documents is compulsory, unless it's not applicable and indicated as such in the "N/A" column.

All bid documents must be signed.

Bidders not complying to any of the requirements may deemed to be non-responsive and will not be considered for evaluation

Compilation Sequence	Admin Code	Document Name	N/A	Yes	No	Remark
1	CL	Covering Letter i.e. limited stock availability of any item offered, non-compliance status relating to TAX, B-BBEE, License to Manufacture, Certificates etc.				
2	BSRA	Bid Signature. Resolution/Authority to sign bid				
3	BFI	Bid/File Index				
4	SBD.1	SBD 1: Invitation to bid				
5	PBD4.1	PBD 4.1: Contact Details of Bidder				
6	TCC	Tax Clearance Certificate (Current & Valid)				
7	BBBEE	Valid B-BBEE certificate (certified copy) or Sworn Affidavit to claim preference points				
8	SBD6	SBD 6(1): Preference Points Claimed (B-BBEE)				
9	CSD	CSD Registration report - A certified copy of latest and complete report. Note: CSD summary report will not be accepted.				

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Compilation Sequence	Admin Code	Document Name	N/A	Yes	No	Remark
10	PBD9	PBD9: Directors: Categorisation by race, gender and disability				
11	CIPC	CIPC/CIPRO or proof of ownership/shareholding. Certified copies of registration certificates				
12	SBD4	SBD 4: Declaration of interest				
13	SBD5	SBD5: The National Industrial Participation Programme				
14	SBD8	SBD 8: Declaration of Past SCM Practices				
15	SBD9	SBD 9: Certificate of Independent Bid Determination				
16	PBD1	PBD1: Authorisation Declaration Note: Non-compliance to submission of a valid authorisation declaration, where applicable, may invalidate the bid.				
17	PBD1.1	PBD 1.1: List of products offered sourced from third party				
18	PBD1.2	PBD 1.2: Unconditional written undertaking from the third party.				
19	PBD5	PBD5: Good Manufacturing Practice (GMP). Declaration of compliance.				
20	PBD8	PBD 8: Special Requirements and Conditions of Contact. Declaration of compliance.				
21	NC	Proof of company cedings, mergers and name changes				

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Compilation Sequence	Admin Code	Document Name	N/A	Yes	No	Remark
22	LICMI	Licence to manufacture or import (in the name of the bidder), including all annexures. Certified copies required.				
23	LICM	Licence to manufacture medicines, including all annexures for local manufacturing sites as listed on the MRC of the bidder (applicant). Certified copies required.				
24	MRC	Medicine Registration Certificates (MRC) with all the associated conditions of registration - Certified copies  Note: All MRC's must be marked by the bidder with the relevant item number and be sorted and filed in numerical order.				
25	PI	Original Package Insert (PI) or document detailing professional information approved by the Medicines Control Council (MCC) or the South African Health Products Regulatory Authority (SAHPRA) for each product offered. Note: All PI's must be marked with the relevant item number and be sorted and filed/submitted in numberical order.				
26	PS	Proof of sample submission				
27	BL	Bidder's item list (List of products offered)				
28	PRICE	Signed Excel Bid Response Pricing Schedule				

All bid documents listed above must be sorted, filed and submitted in the exact order as indicated above

Submission of supporting bid documents is compulsory, unless it's not applicable and indicated as such in the "N/A" column

The bid document check list is available as Annexure A in an excel spreadsheet format and should be completed by all bidders and be submitted in hard copy and as part of the electronic copies of "Set 3: Electronic version of bid documents"

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#### SECTION A

#### 1. LEGISLATIVE AND REGULATORY FRAMEWORK

This bid and all contracts emanating there from will be subject to the Medicines and Related Substances Act, (Act 101 of 1965), Pharmacy Act, (Act 53 of 1974); Patents Act, 1978 (Act 57 of 1978); Trade Marks Act, 1993 (Act 194 of 1993); General Conditions of Contract issued in accordance with Treasury Regulation 16A published in terms of the Public Finance Management Act, 1999 (Act 1 of 1999). The Special Requirements and Conditions of Contract (SRCC) are supplementary to General Conditions of Contract (GCC). Where, however, the SRCC are in conflict with the GCC, the SRCC prevail.

#### 2. BID INFORMATION SESSION

A non - compulsory information session will be held on:

Date: 20 February 2020

Time: 11 AM

Venue: Department of National Health, Impilo Conference Room, Podium Level, Civitas Building, cnr.

Thabo Sehume and Struben Streets, PRETORIA, 0002

It is strongly recommended that all prospective bidders attend the information session, which will provide bidders
with an opportunity to obtain clarity on the bidding process, the conditions of contract and obtain clarity on any
questions that may arise.

#### 3. EVALUATION CRITERIA

The evaluation process will be conducted in phases as follows:

Phase I	Phase II	Phase III	Phase IV
Mandatory and other bid requirements	Product technical compliance	Price and B-BBEE	Recommendation and Award

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Compliance with mandatory and other bid requirements	Compliance with technical specifications Test reports received from sample evaluation	Bids evaluated in terms of the 90/10 preference system	Recommendation and award

#### 3.1 PHASE I: MANDATORY REQUIREMENTS

Bidders must submit all required documents indicated above with the bid documents at the closing date and time of the bid. During this evaluation phase, bidder's responses will be evaluated based on the documents submitted under mandatory requirements. This phase is not scored and bidders who fail to comply with all mandatory requirements will be disqualified.

#### 3.1.1 LEGISLATIVE REQUIREMENTS TO THIS BID

Items offered must be registered in terms of section 15 of the Medicines and Related Substances Act, 1965 (Act 101 of 1965), and must comply with the conditions of registration for the duration of the contract.

The bidder must be indicated as the applicant on the Medicines Registration Certificate.

The bidder offering a product must be the holder of a licence to manufacture or import medicines issued in terms of section 22C (1)(b) of the Medicines and Related Substances Act, 1965 (Act 101 of 1965) including all annexures. A <u>certified copy</u> of such licence must be submitted by the bidder offering the product.

A certified copy of the Medicine Registration Certificate, issued in terms of section 15(3)(a) of the Medicines and Related Substances Act, 1965 (Act 101 of 1965) including all annexures, must be included with the bid for all items offered.

Bidders must comply with the requirements of the Patents Act, 1978 (Act 57 of 1978) and the Trade Marks Act, 1993 (Act 194 of 1993). Where applicable, an explanation for any non-compliance must be provided. In the case where a product is manufactured under a voluntary license issued by the patent

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holder of such a product, a letter authorising the marketing of the product, provided to the bidder by the patent holder must be submitted with the bid.

#### 3.1.2 RESPONSIVE BIDS

Bidders are required to submit responsive bids by completing all the prices in the Excel Bid Response Document and response fields in the fillible PDF bid document. In this regard, bidder's attention is drawn to the document "Definition of fields in the Bid Response Document" explaining the different fields in the bid document.

#### 3.1.3 BID DOCUMENTS

Bidders are required to submit responsive bids by completing all the prices, mandatory response fields and item questionnaires.

The excel bid response documents i.e pricing schedule and Directors: Categorisation of race, gender and disability provided forms an integral part of the bid document and bidders must ensure that it is completed without changing the structure thereof. All pages must be signed, if not your bid will not be considered for evaluation.

The prices quoted must be furnished as all inclusive (incl. VAT) on the basis of supply and delivery.

The bid price offered for a product is deemed to be for the pack size as advertised in the item specification and the unit specified.

Prices submitted must not exceed the ex-manufacturer component of the Single Exit Price inclusive of VAT.

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#### 3.1.4 AUTHORISATION DECLARATION

Only the holder of a Medicines Registration Certificate issued in terms of the Medicines and Related Substances Act, 1965 (Act 101 of 1965), may submit a bid.

In the event that the Manufacturer, Packer or other entity, as listed on the certificate of registration are external third parties, the bidder must ensure that all legal, financial and supply arrangements have been mutually agreed upon between the bidder and these third parties.

Where a third party is involved in any capacity, the bidder must submit a duly completed and signed Authorisation Declaration (PBD1) for each such third party.

The National Department of Health reserves the right to verify any information supplied by the bidder in the Authorisation Declaration and, should the information be found to be false or incorrect, the National Department of Health will exercise any of the remedies available to it in the bid documents.

Failure to submit a duly completed and signed Authorisation Declaration, with the required annexure(s), in accordance with the above provisions, will invalidate the bid for such goods or services offered.

No agreement between the bidder and any third party will be binding on the National Department of Health.

#### 3.1.5 TAX COMPLIANCE STATUS

The validity of the Tax Clearance Certificate issued by the South African Revenue Services (SARS) certifying that the tax status of the bidder is in order, will be verified against the information recorded in the Central Supplier Database (CSD).

It is a condition of this bid that the tax matters of the bidder be in order at any point in time, or that satisfactory arrangements have been made with SARS to meet the bidder's tax obligations. It is a requirement that bidders grant a written confirmation when submitting this bid that SARS may, on an on-going basis during the tenure of the contract, disclose the bidder's tax compliance status and, by submitting this bid, such confirmation is deemed to have been granted.

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Bidders are required to be registered on the CSD managed by National Treasury. The National Department of Health shall verify the bidder's tax compliance status through the CSD. Where consortia/joint ventures/sub-contractors are involved, each party must be registered on the Central Supplier Database and their tax compliance status will be verified through the Central Supplier Database. Bidders remain responsible to update their CSD information in line with the bid documents submitted for this bid.

#### 4. PHASE II: PRODUCT TECHNICAL COMPLIANCE

#### 4.1 SAMPLES TO BE SUBMITTED TO HEALTH ESTABLISHEMENS

All bidders are required to submit samples, including bidders who are currently supplying the National Department of Health with products to confirm the following:

- Compliance with specifications as set out in the bid document/item specification.
- Compliance of the product with the requirements of the Medicines and Related Substances Act, 1965 (Act 101 of 1965).

Failure to submit samples at both health entities listed below will invalidate the bid for such items offered.

Samples are required to be submitted to each (both) of the addresses indicated below prior to closing date and time of bid:

Mr Dumisani Malele	Mr Nisaar Mia
Depot Manager	Pharmaceutical Policy Specialist
Tel: 011 628 9131	Tel: 021 483 5800
Gauteng: Medical Supplies Depot	Western Cape: Department of Health
Store 3	4th Floor, Cape Medical Depot
35 Plunkett Avenue	16 Chiappini Street
Hurst Hill	Cape Town
2092	8001

- No samples must be sent to the National Department of Health.
- Samples must be marked with the bid number, the item number as well as the bidder's name and address.
- Bidders must submit at least one original pack of each offer for evaluation.

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- It is the responsibility of the bidder to ensure that samples have been received at the addresses provided above. Proof of sample submission must be submitted with the bid documents at the closing date and time of the bid.
- All samples for awarded items will be retained for the period of the contract.
- All samples must be a true representation of the product which will be supplied.
- All samples submitted must include the package insert or document detailing professional information approved by the MCC or SAHPRA.

#### 4.2 COMPLIANCE WITH SPECIFICATIONS

Items must comply with the specification as detailed in the bid document.

#### 5. PHASE III: PREFERENCE POINT SYSTEM

#### 5.1 A MAXIMUM OF 90 POINTS IS ALLOCATED FOR PRICE ON THE FOLLOWING BASIS:

$$Ps = 90 x \left(1 - \frac{Pt - P\min}{P\min}\right)$$

Where:

Ps = Points scored for comparative price of bid under consideration

Pt = Comparative price of bid under consideration

Pmin = Comparative price of lowest acceptable bid

#### 5.2 POINTS AWARDED FOR B-BBEE STATUS LEVEL OF CONTRIBUTOR

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)
1	10
2	9
3	6
4	5
5	4

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B-BBEE Status Level of Contributor	Number of points (90/10 system)
6	3
7	2
8	1
Non-compliant contributor	0

For this tender, the 90/10 preference point system will be applied.

- Bidders are required to complete the preference claim form (SBD 6.1), and submit a valid certified copy of B-BBEE status level verification certificate, at the closing date and time of the bid in order to claim the B-BBEE status level point.
- The points scored by a bidder in respect of the level of B-BBEE contribution will be added to the points scored for price.
- Only bidders who have completed and signed the declaration part of the preference claim form and who have submitted a B-BBEE status level certificate issued by a registered auditor, accounting officer (as contemplated in section 60(4) of the Close Corporation Act, 1984 (Act No. 69 of 1984)) or an accredited verification agency will be considered for preference points.
- If the bidder fails to comply with the paragraphs above, the bidder will be deemed not to have claimed preference points for B-BBEE status level of contribution and will therefore be allocated a zero (0). The National Department of Health may, before a bid is adjudicated or at any time, require a bidder to substantiate claims it has made with regard to preference claimed. The points scored will be rounded off to the nearest two (2) decimals. In the event that two (2) or more bids have scored equal total points, the contract will be awarded to the bidder scoring the highest number of preference points for B-BBEE.
- A contract may, on reasonable and justifiable grounds, be awarded to a bid that did not score the highest number of points.

#### 6. PREFERENCE FOR LOCALLY PRODUCED PRODUCTS

The National Department of Health reserves the right to consider locally produced products offered. Bidders are required to indicate on the Excel Bid Response Document where the products are manufactured.

In order to provide preference to locally produced products, the definition of a locally produced product will be limited to product formulation and conversion processes that use materials and components to manufacture

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contraceptives and hormone modulating agents (including importation of raw material of active pharmaceutical ingredients (API) and of excipients for production of finished products) in the Republic of South Africa.

Where the National Department of Health gives preference to locally produced products, the quantities for these items will be allocated and awarded proportionately to locally produced products, provided this does not negatively impact upon security of supply and affordability.

Bids for products that qualify for this preference must comply with all of the following criteria:

- The South African Health Product Authority (SAHPRA) certificate of registration for a product lists the primary site of production as one that is located in the Republic of South Africa;
- The bidder offering a product must be the holder of a licence to manufacture or import medicines issued in terms of section 22C (1)(b) of the Medicines and Related Substances Act, 1965 (Act 101 of 1965) including all annexures. A <u>certified copy</u> of such licence must be submitted by the bidder offering the product;
- The bidder offering a product must submit a <u>certified copy</u> of the licence to manufacture medicines, including all annexures for local manufacturing sites listed on the MRC of the bidder who must also be the applicant;
- The reference price as published by National Department of Health has not been exceeded (if applicable);
- The site/s of manufacture and/or packaging for the product offered is located in South Africa;
- Demonstrated capacity to service the required volumes as evaluated in terms of the data provided in the Excel Bid Response Document;
- Previous supplier performance; and
- Compliance to all other aspects contained in these Special Requirements and Conditions of Contract

#### 7. VALUE ADDED TAX

All bid prices must be inclusive of 15% Value-Added Tax. Failure to comply with this condition will invalidate the bid.

#### 8. SUBMISSION OF BIDS

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All bid documents listed below must be sorted, filed and submitted in the exact compilation sequence as indicated below and the annexure attached.

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Submission of bid documents is compulsory, unless it's not applicable and indicated as such in the "N/A" column in the Bid Document Check List.

All bid documents must be signed.

Bidders not complying to any of the requirements will be deemed to be non-responsive and will not be considered for evaluation.

- · Covering Letter;
- Bid Signature. Resolution/Authority to sign bid;
- Bid/File Index (compilation sequence);
- PBD 4.1: Contact Details of Bidder;
- SBD 1: Invitation to bid;
- Tax Clearance Certificate (Current & Valid);
- VAT Certificate (Current & Valid);
- CSD Registration report A certified copy of latest and complete report. Note: CSD summary report will not be accepted;
- SBD 4: Declaration of interest;
- PBD9: Directors: Categorisation by race, gender and disability;
- SBD5: The National Industrial Participation Programme;
- SBD 6(1): Preference Points Claimed (B-BBEE);
- Valid B-BBEE certificate (certified copy) or Sworn Affidavit to claim preference points;
- SBD 8: Declaration of Past SCM Practices:
- SBD 9: Certificate of Independent Bid Determination;
- PBD1: Authorisation Declaration;

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Note: Non-compliance to submission of a valid authorisation declaration, where applicable, may invalidate the bid;

- PBD 1.1: List of products offered sourced from third party;
- PBD 1.2: Unconditional written undertaking from the third party;
- PBD5: Good Manufacturing Practice (GMP). Declaration of compliance;
- PBD 8: Special Requirements and Conditions of Contact. Declaration of compliance;
- CIPC/CIPRO or proof of ownership/shareholding. Certified copies of registration certificates;

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- Proof of company cedings, mergers and name changes;
- Licence to manufacture or import (in the name of the bidder), including all annexures. Certified copies required;
- Medicine Registration Certificates (MRC) with all the associated conditions of registration Certified copies
   Note: All MRC's must be marked by the bidder with the relevant item number and be sorted and filed in numerical order;
- Original Package Insert (PI) or document detailing professional information approved by the Medicines
  Control Council (MCC) or the South African Health Products Regulatory Authority (SAHPRA) for each
  product offered. Note: All PI's must be marked with the relevant item number and be sorted and
  filed/submitted in numerical order;
- Bidder's item list (List of products offered);
- Signed Excel Bid Response Pricing Schedule; and
- Bid Document Check List.

#### 9. COMPLETION OF DOCUMENTS AND BID SUBMISSION

Bidders are required to submit three sets of bid documents according to the instructions below. All three sets must be submitted not later than the closing date and time. Set 2 and Set 3 must be included on a CD with Set 1 and submitted in a sealed package. The full name and address of the bidder, including the return address, the bid number and the closing date must be clearly indicated on the package. All fields must be completed. Where information requested is not relevant this should be indicated with N/A.

#### Set 1: Hard copy legally binding bid documents

Bidders must complete all SBD, PBD and Bid Response forms in black ink, typed. Where no electronic entry field is provided bidders must complete the forms in black ink, handwritten in capital letters. The signed hard copy of the bid document will serve as the legal bid document.

Bidders must submit their complete bid in hard copy format (paper document). The Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer, or authorised designee of the entity submitting the bid must sign the official signature pages. All pages in the complete bid document must be initialed by same with black ink. The use of correction fluid is not acceptable. Any change/s must be clearly indicated and initialed.

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Bidders must refrain from using binding methods like coil, comb, wire velobind, screw binding etc. It is requested that bidders pre-punch two holes on the left hand side of bid documents suitable for filing in a two hole lever arch file. Bid documents should be tied in parcels using string or rope that can be easily untied for filing purposes.

#### Set 2: PDF of Hard Copy, signed legal documents. (i.e. pdf of Set 1)

Bidders must submit a PDF version of the entire signed hardcopy bid, including all certificates and documents requested.

#### Set 3: Electronic version of bid documents

Bidders must submit the electronic versions (editable pdf) of all SBD and PBD documents, Bid Response Document and other relevant spreadsheets in Excel (not pdf).

All three sets of information must be submitted in order for the bid to be evaluated.

Bidders must ensure that the **price quoted** for a product (line item) on the Bid Response Document is for the unit pack as specified. No conversion factors will be applied.

#### 10. LATE BIDS

Bids received after the closing date and time, at the address indicated in the bid documents, will not be accepted for consideration and, where practical, will be returned unopened to the bidder.

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#### 11. COUNTER CONDITIONS

Bidders' attention is drawn to the fact that amendments to any of the bid conditions or setting of counter conditions by bidders may result in the invalidation of such bids.

#### 12. FRONTING

The National Department of Health supports the spirit of broad based black economic empowerment and recognises that real empowerment can only be achieved through individuals and businesses conducting themselves in accordance with the Constitution and in an honest, fair, equitable, transparent and legally compliant manner. Against this background, the National Department of Health condemns any form of fronting.

The National Department of Health, in ensuring that bidders conduct themselves in an honest manner will, as part of the bid evaluation processes, conduct or initiate the necessary enquiries/investigations to determine the accuracy of the representation made in bid documents. Should any of the fronting indicators as contained in the Guidelines on Complex Structures and Transactions and Fronting, issued by the Department of Trade and Industry, be established during such enquiry/investigation, the onus will be on the bidder/contractor to prove that fronting does not exist. Failure to do so within a period of 14 days from date of notification, may invalidate the bid/ contract and may also result in the restriction of the bidder/contractor to conduct business with the public sector for a period not exceeding 10 years, in addition to any other remedies the National Department of Health may have against the bidder/contractor concerned.

#### 13. SUPPLIER DUE DILIGENCE

The National Department of Health reserves the right to conduct supplier due diligence prior to final award and / or at any time during the contract period. This may include site visits to assess whether

- an item is manufactured at the site specified in the bid documentation;
- there is compliance with the details provided in the MRC (where applicable);
- the bidder/contracted supplier has two (2) months buffer stock on hand;
- the bidder/contracted supplier has capacity for their allocation or agreed demand.

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#### 14. COMMUNICATION

The National Department of Health, may communicate with bidders where clarity is sought after the closing date and time of the bid and prior to the award of the contract, or to extend the validity period of the bid, if necessary. All communication between the bidder and the National Department of Health, must be done in writing to tenders@health.gov.za

Any communication to any government official or a person acting in an advisory capacity for the National Department of Health in respect of this bid between the closing date and the award of the bid by the bidder is discouraged. In cases where it is necessary, communication must be in writing to tenders@health.gov.za

#### 15. CONTACT DETAILS

Postal address Physical address

Directorate: Affordable Medicines

Directorate: Affordable Medicines

Private Bag X828 Civitas Building
PRETORIA 242 Struben Street

0001 Cnr Thabo Sehume Street

Pretoria 0002

Please use the following e-mail address for any queries relating to bidding process:

tenders@health.gov.za

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#### SECTION B

#### 16. CONTRACT PERIOD

The contract shall be for the period from 1 October 2020 to 30 September 2023.

#### 17. PARTICIPATING AUTHORITES AND OTHER HEALTH ESTABLISHMENTS

Participating Authorities and Health Establishments which will be participating authorities in this contract are: National Departments:

- Department of Correctional Services;
- Department of Defence

**Provincial Departments:** 

- Eastern Cape;
- Free State;
- Gauteng;
- KwaZulu-Natal;
- Limpopo.

- Mpumalanga;
- Northern Cape;
- North West;
- Western Cape; and

Other Institutions

• Nelson Mandela Childrens' Hospital

#### 18. REGISTRATION ON DATABASES OF PARTICIPATING AUTHORITIES

All contracted suppliers must register on the supplier databases of Participating Authorities within 30 days after award of contract.

Failure to meet this requirement will result in inability to process payment for goods.

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#### 19. POST AWARD PARTICIPATION

Regulation 16A6.6 of the Treasury Regulations for Departments, Trading Entities, Constitutional Entities and Public Entities, issued in terms of the Public Finance Management Act, 1999, (Act 1 of 1999), states that the Accounting Officer/Accounting Authority may, on behalf of a department, constitutional institution or public entity, request to participate in any contract arranged by means of a competitive bidding process by any organ of state, subject to the written approval of such organ of state and the relevant contractors.

#### 20. AWARD CONDITIONS

The National Department of Health reserves the right to award contracts to more than one contractor for the same item.

The National Department of Health reserves the right to negotiate prices.

The National Department of Health reserves the right to award the same item as a multiple award to various contractors (two or more) to address high volume requirements, security of supply and product availability.

The following are examples of considerations which may be taken into account when contemplating a multiple award:

- Source of Active Pharmaceutical Ingredient (API) and actual manufacturing site;
- Capacity to meet expected demand as per published estimates in the Excel Bid Response Document;
- Estimated volume to be supplied;
- Risk to public health if the item is not available;
- Past compliance of the bidder with contractual obligations.

In cases where the tender does not achieve the most economically advantageous price, the National Department of Health reserves the right not to award that item.

In the case of medicines for chronic conditions, pack sizes suitable for a 28-day treatment cycle are required. Should a 30-day or other pack size be offered, no conversion factor will be applied. Direct comparisons will be made between the 28-day and other pack sizes during evaluation. Similarly, no conversion factors will be applied in cases where a pack size other than that specified is offered.

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The National Department of Health may change treatment protocols and/or product formulations where required, due to emerging clinical evidence, disease profiles, safety or resistance patterns and availability of items registered in terms of the Medicines and Related Substances Act, 1965, (Act 101 of 1965) at the date and time of bid closure. In these circumstances, the National Department of Health reserves the right to cancel the contract for an item, or adjust the quantity awarded based on expected changes in projected demand. The Department of Health will notify the contracted supplier within a reasonable time of the expected change. However, in cases where patient safety is a concern, these changes may be implemented with immediate effect.

#### 20.1 SPLIT AND MULTIPLE AWARDS

Two-way split awards will be made in accordance with the following schedule based on the points scored:

Category	Difference between points	Recommended percentage split
	scored	
A	Equal points	50/50
В	< 5 points	60/40
С	>5-10 points	70/30
D	>10-20 points	80/20
E	>20 points	90/10

Where a split for more than 2 suppliers is contemplated, the following formula may be used to allocate volumes for award:

- For a three way split: Supplier share = 33.3% + (supplier score mean score) x 2.3%
- For a four way split: Supplier share = 25% + (supplier score mean score) x 2%

#### 20.2 THERAPEUTIC CLASS AWARDS

The Policy for Classifying Medicines into Therapetic Classes for Purposes of Therapeutic Interchange defines a therapeutic class as a group of medicines which have active ingredients with comparable therapeutic effects.

Medicines in a therapeutic class may or may not belong to the same pharmacological class, may differ in chemistry or pharmacokinetic properties, and may possess different mechanisms of action, result in different adverse reactions,

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have different toxicity and drug interaction profiles. In most cases, these medicines have close similarity in efficacy and safety profiles, when administered in equipotent doses for a specific indication.

The ministerially appointed National Essential Medicines List Committee (NEMLC) formulates and revises the Standard Treatment Guidelines (STGs) and Essential Medicines List (EML). Therapeutic classes are mentioned in the "Medicine treatment" section of the national STGs which provides a class of medicines followed by an example such as, HMGCoA reductase ihibitors (Statins) e.g. simavastatin. These therapeutic classes have been designated where none of the members of the class offer any significant benefit over member of the class for a specific indication. The NEMLC will designate therapeutic classes for a condition, where appropriate.

Such therapeutic classes may be used during the contracting process to achieve the most economically advantageous contract, offer the market the largest volume and increase the number of competitors, thereby offering the opportunity for cost efficiencies by stimulating robust competition.d during the contracting process to achieve the most economically advantageous contract, offer the market the largest volume and increase the number of competitors, thereby offering the opportunity for cost efficiencies by stimulating robust competition.

#### A single member of the class will be awarded.

Class No	Therapeutic class description	Member of the therapeutic class
1	Monophasic - progestin only pills- low VTE risk	Levonorgestrel 0.03mg tablet, 28 tablets, calendar packed
		VS
		Norethisterone 0.35mg tablet, 28 tablets
2	Monophasic preparations: combination of estrogen	Levonorgestrel and Ethinylestradiol
	and progestin in each pill - low to moderate VTE	0.15/0.03mg (21) and inert (7) tablet, 28 tablets
risł	risk	VS
		Gestodene and Ethinylestradiol 0.075/0.03mg
		(21) and inert (7) tablet, 28 tablets
3	Patients with hypersexual behaviour including	Cyproterone 300mg injection
	paraphilia's	VS
		Medroxyprogesterone 150mg injection
4	Progestogens and estrogens, fixed combinations	Estradiol and Norethisterone 2/1mg tablet, 28
	(higher dose)	tablets, calendar packed
		VS
		Estrogens Conjugated and
		Medroxyprogesterone 0.625/5mg tablet, 28 tablets

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Class No	Therapeutic class description	Member of the therapeutic class
5	Progestogens and estrogens, fixed combinations (low/std dose)	Estradiol and Norethisterone 1/0.5mg tablet, 28 tablets, calendar packed
6	Progestogens and estrogens, sequential preparations	Cyproterone and Ethinylestradiol 0/2mg (11); 1/2mg (10) and inert (7) tablet, 28 tablets, calendar packed  vs  Estrogen Conjugated and Medroxyprogesterone 0.625/0mg (14); 0.625/5mg (14) tablet, 28 tablets
7	Triphasic preparation: combination of estrogen and progestin - low to moderate VTE risk	Levonorgestrel and Ethinylestradiol triphasic, 0.05/0.03mg (6); 0.075/0.04mg (5); 0.125/0.03mg (10) and inert (7) tablet, 28 tablets, calendar packed

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### 21 NEGOTIATIONS

The National Department of Health reserves the right to negotiate with the bidders prior to award and with the successful bidder(s) post award.

### 22. NON-COMMITMENT

The National Department of Health reserves the right not to award, to award in part, or in full.

The right is also reserved to withdraw or amend any of the bid conditions, by notice, in writing to all bidders prior to closing of the bid and post award.

In the event that an incorrect award has been made, the National Department of Health reserves the right to remedy the matter in any manner it may deem fit.

## 23. PRICE REVIEW

The National Department of Health envisages three types of price review processes for the duration of this contract:

- A routine adjustment to mitigate foreign exchange fluctuations;
- An exceptional adjustment to mitigate significant short-term foreign exchange fluctuations; and
- A systematic review of prices for comparable products available in the international market place.

### 23.1 ELIGIBILITY RELATING TO RATE OF EXCHANGE ADJUSTMENTS

Eligibility for price adjustments relating to foreign exchange risk depends on:

- The submission of a complete price breakdown per instructions below for all relevant products; and
- Assessment of the rationality of this price breakdown by the National Department of Health.

### 23.1.1 INSTRUCTIONS FOR PRICE BREAKDOWN

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- The price breakdown must be completed on the signed bid response document as well as the electronic version. The delivered price must be divided across five components
  - Active Pharmaceutical Ingredients (API);
  - Formulation;
  - Packaging;
  - Logistics (this includes transportation, warehousing and distribution);
  - Gross margin (remaining portion).
- The sum of these categories must be equal to 100% of the delivered price for the line item.
- The local + imported portions of the first three components must add up to 100% within each component (e.g. Portion of API attributable to local + Portion of API attributable to import = 100% of specific API component).
- VAT must be apportioned equally across all components and not regarded as a separate component.
- Labour must be apportioned appropriately across the relevant components.
- Breakdown must be in percentage format to the closest whole percentage (e.g. 20%).
- The National Department of Health reserves the right to engage with bidders to verify any of the components
  of the bid price, which may include audit of invoices and related documentation.

## 23.2 PRICE ADJUSTMENTS RELATING TO FOREIGN EXCHANGE RISK

Only the portion of the bid price facing foreign exchange risk will be adjusted. This portion is determined by the price breakdown on the signed bid submission.

Adjustments are always calculated using the original awarded contracted price as the base.

Price adjustments relating to foreign exchange will be based on the percentage change between the relevant base average rate of exchange (RoE) and an adjustment average RoE.

Rates are sourced from the Reserve Bank (www.resbank.co.za).

Eligibility for favourable Contractual Price Adjustments may be withdrawn in light of evidence of poor compliance with contractual obligations.

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Base average RoE for this tender will be as follows, per currency:

Currency	Base Average Rates of Exchange Average for the period 1 July 2019 to 31 December 2019
Rand per US Dollar	14.70
Rand per Br Pound	18.49
Rand per Euro	16.31
Rand per Danish Krone	2.18
Rand per Yuan Renminbi	2.09
Rand per Indian Rupee	0.21

Should the bidder make use of any currency not mentioned above, the bidder must stipulate this clearly and submit the calculated average RoE for the period 1 July 2019 to 31 December 2019 using the South African Reserve Bank published rates for the specific currency.

## 23.3 APPLICATION FOR CONTRACTUAL PRICE ADJUSTMENTS

Scanned copies of signed applications for price adjustments must be received by the National Department of Health prior to the submission dates detailed in the tables below.

Where no application for an adjustment relating to foreign exchange has been received and such an adjustment would be favourable to the Department, this will be implemented automatically.

Foreign exchange adjustments may never result in a price exceeding the current Single Exit Price, ex Logistics.

## 23.4 ROUTINE PRICE ADJUSTMENTS

Schedules for routine price reviews, and periods for calculating adjustment average RoE are detailed in the table below:

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Review	Period for calculating adjustment average RoE	Submission of request for price review to reach the office by	Date from which adjusted prices will become effective
1	01 October 2020 - 31 March 2021	02 April 2021	03 May 2021
2	01 April 2021 - 30 September 2021	02 October 2021	02 November 2021
3	01 October 2021 - 31 March 2022	04 April 2022	02 May 2022
4	01 April 2022 - 30 September 2022	03 October 2022	01 November 2022
5	01 October 2022 - 31 March 2023	03 April 2023	01 May 2023

## 23.5 EXCEPTIONAL PRICE ADJUSTMENTS

Suppliers may request exceptional price adjustments according to the schedule in the table below. These will be activated if the absolute change between the base RoE and the three month retrospective average RoE indicated in the table below fluctuates by more than 10%.

Review	Period for calculating adjustment average RoE	Submission of request for price review to reach the office by	Date from which adjusted prices will become effective
0.1	01 October 2020 - 31 December 2020	04 January 2021	01 February 2021
1.1	01 April 2021 - 31 June 2021	02 July 2021	02 August 2021
2.1	01 October 2021 - 31 December 2021	03 January 2022	01 February 2022
3.1	01 April 2022 - 31 June 2022	04 July 2022	01 August 2022
2.1	01 October 2022 - 31 December 2022	03 January 2023	01 February 2023
3.1	01 April 2023 - 31 June 2023	03 July 2023	01 August 2023

Suppliers who received exceptional adjustments will receive routine adjustments based on the preceding three months, rather than the usual six month historical average exchange rate. The periods for calculating adjustment average RoE in these instances are detailed in the table below:

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Review	Period for calculating adjustment average RoE post exceptional adjustment	Submission of request for price review to reach the office by	Date from which adjusted prices will become effective
1	01 January 2020 - 31 March 2021	02 April 2021	03 May 2021
2	01 July 2021 - 30 September 2021	02 October 2021	02 November 2021
3	01 January 2021 - 31 March 2022	04 April 2022	02 May 2022
4	01 July 2022 - 30 September 2022	03 October 2022	01 November 2022
5	01 January 2022 - 31 March 2023	03 April 2023	01 May 2023

### 23.6 PRICE ADJUSTMENTS BASED ON A SYSTEMATIC REVIEW

The National Department of Health reserves the right to review international prices to identify lowest comparable global prices.

Where this review identifies any prices that are lower than contract prices the National Department of Health will enter into price negotiations with the contracted supplier.

Where the outcome of this negotiation is deemed unfavourable, the National Department of Health reserves the right to terminate the award for the item in question.

## 24. QUALITY

Products must conform to the conditions of registration of the product in terms of the Medicines and Related Substances Act, 1965 (Act 101 of 1965) for the full duration of this contract.

### 25. DELIVERY AND QUANTITIES

## 25.1 DELIVERY BASIS

Firm lead times for delivery must be quoted for the duration of the contract period.

Transit and storage conditions applicable to the relevant products must be adhered to.

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The initial lead time as proposed in the bid response document will be calculated from date of award of the contract and NOT the date of placement of the first order. This period may not exceed 75 calendar days from the date of award.

Lead time within the contract period is defined as the time from submission of order to supplier to time of receipt by the Department, as confirmed by the Proof of Delivery document. This lead time may not exceed 14 calendar days.

Failure to comply with the contractual lead time will result in penalties being enforced as per paragraph 21 and 22 of the General Conditions of Contract.

## 25.2 QUANTITIES

The quantities reflected in the bid are estimated quantities and no guarantee is given or implied as to the actual quantity which will be procured during the contract period. Fluctuations in monthly demand may occur. Proposed minimum order quantities (MOQs) should facilitate delivery directly to health establishments. The National Department of Health reserves the right to negotiate MOQs where necessary. Where consensus regarding MOQs cannot be reached, the bid may not be awarded.

Suppliers are required to maintain sufficient buffer stock to meet at least two-months demand for all items, aligned with the needs of Participating Authorities.

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#### SECTION C

### 26. SUPPLIER PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT

26.1 Supplier performance management will be the responsibility of Participating Authorities with oversight from the National Department of Health and, where supplier performance disputes cannot be resolved between the contractor and the Participating Authority, National Treasury: Transversal Contracting Chief Directorate and National Department of Health must be informed for corrective action.

The National Department of Health, in collaboration with the Participating Authorities, will monitor the performance of contracted suppliers in terms of this contract, including but not limited to the following:

- Compliance with reporting requirements according to reporting schedule and reporting mechanism.
- As a minimum, suppliers will be required to submit the following information in a specified format and via a mechanism defined by the National Department of Health:
  - All transactional data relating to orders;
  - A monthly age analysis;
  - Production pipeline data and forecast including:
  - Number of units of the item available (stock on hand);
  - Number of units of the item in Quality Assurance, awaiting release;
  - Number of units of the item in the current and following two (2) months' production plan.
  - Status of outstanding orders (including status of lead time).
- · Attendance of compulsory quarterly meetings
  - The National Department of Health will hold quarterly meetings / teleconferences with suppliers which will include, but not be limited to, a review of supplier performance and forecasted demand for the next quarter.
  - Attendance of quarterly meetings is compulsory for all invited suppliers
  - Contracted Suppliers may be required to present continuous improvement initiatives aimed at improving efficiencies in the supply chain to benefit both suppliers and the Department of Health.

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- The Participating Authorities shall impose penalties, where deemed necessary, as per Paragraph 21 and 22
  of the General Conditions of Contract.
- Non-compliance of contracted suppliers to the terms and conditions of this contract may influence participation in future contracts.
- Contracted Suppliers should note that each individual purchasing institution is responsible for generating the purchase order(s) as well as for the payment(s) thereof.
- Contracted Suppliers should note that the purchase order(s) will be placed as and when required during the
  contract period and delivery points will be specified by the relevant purchasing institution(s). Only orders using
  an official, authorised purchase order format are valid.
- The instructions appearing on the official purchase order form regarding the supply, dispatch and submission
  of invoices must be strictly adhered to and under no circumstances should the contractor deviate from the
  orders issued by the purchasing institutions.
- Contracted Suppliers are required to acknowledge receipt of all purchase orders received from Participating Authorities, in a manner stipulated by the relevant Participating Authority.
- The Department of Health is under no obligation to accept any quantity which is in excess of the ordered quantity.
- In order to facilitate efficient implementation of the direct delivery strategy, contracted suppliers must pack orders for the health establishment as per the purchase order.
- Changes to any quantities ordered may only be made upon receipt of an amended purchase order.
- The Participating Authorities reserve the right to cancel orders where the lead time exceeds the delivery lead
  time specified in the contract and may, at their discretion, purchase supplies of a similar quality and up to
  the same quantity in substitution of the goods not supplied in conformity with the contract (as per paragraph
  21.6 of the General Conditions of Contract).
- In cases where an order is received which appears to be irrational or misaligned with estimates, the contracted supplier must liaise with the relevant Participating Authority prior to processing the order.

## 26.2 DELIVERY ADHERENCE

 Products and related documentation must be delivered in accordance with the terms, conditions and delivery instructions stipulated on the purchase order.

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- The information on invoices and documents relating to delivery must comply with the minimum data requirements as defined by the National Department of Health.
- Invoices must reflect both the "proprietary name" (brand name"/"trade name") which is unique to a particular
  medicine, and which is the name approved in terms of section 15(4) of the Medicines and Related
  Substances Act, 1965 (Act 101 of 1965), and the item description as it appears in the contract circular and
  Master Procurement Catalogue (MPC), or Master Health Product List (MHPL), which will replace the MPC.
- Original invoices and proof of delivery must be authorised by a delegated official at the designated delivery
  point. These documents must be delivered to the authority responsible for payment. This may or may not
  be the same as the delivery address stipulated on the purchase order. Suppliers are required to know where
  documents must be delivered.
- The supplier must ensure that products are delivered in accordance with the appropriate conditions of storage, as per product's conditions of registration. Delivery is deemed to terminate upon signature of receipt by the delegated official.
- Discrepancies between invoice and physical stock, or damaged stock, will be reported to the contracted supplier within a reasonable time or as arranged with the supplier. This time period must make provision for the quantities received to be checked upon receipt of delivery.
- Contracted suppliers will be responsible for collection of goods delivered erroneously, or in the incorrect
  condition as formally arranged in consultation with the purchasing authority. The Participating Authorities
  may recoup any expenses associated with failure to collect such goods in accordance with the agreement

### 26.3 CONTINUITY OF SUPPLY

- Contracted suppliers must have at least two months' supply of the estimate at the start of the contract.
- Contracted Suppliers must maintain sufficient buffer stock throughout the duration of the contract.
- Contracted Suppliers must inform National Department of Health at first knowledge of any circumstances that may result in interrupted supply, including but not limited to:
  - regulatory action which may impact on their GMP status or that of entities on which they are reliant;
  - any anticipated problems associated with the availability of active pharmaceutical ingredient (API);
  - industrial action
  - challenges with manufacturing pipeline;
  - any other supply challenges.

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- Contracted Suppliers must direct official communication relating to continuity of supply to stockalert@health.gov.za, as well as Participating Authorities.
- Contracted Suppliers must direct official communication relating to payment challenges to medacc@health.gov.za, as well as Participating Authorities.
- All official communication must include detail of corrective actions taken by the contracted supplier to ensure continuity of supply.
- It is the responsibility of the contracted supplier to ensure continuous availability and supply of contracted items. In the event that the contracted supplier is unable to supply, the contracted supplier will source alternative product of acceptable quality and up to the same quantity as required in terms of the contract.
   The substitute item will be supplied at the current price of the contracted item.
- Suppliers may be required to pay penalties for supply exceeding the contractual lead time as stipulated in the General Conditions of Contract Paragraph 22.
- In terms of the General Conditions of Contract and Special Requirements and Conditions of Contract, the
  Participating Authorities may purchase outside the contract in order to meet its requirements if the item is
  urgently required and is not immediately available.

### 26.4 REPORTING

National Department of Health will provide the requirements for reporting and successful bidders will be assisted with complying with these requirements.

The National Department of Health may, from time to time and within reason, add to the reporting requirements. Any changes to reporting requirements or the reporting mechanism will be communicated in writing by the Directorate: Affordable Medicines.

## 27. PACKAGING, LABELLING AND BARCODES

#### 27.1 PACKAGING

Suppliers must ensure that products delivered are received in good order at the point of delivery.
 Packaging must be suitable for further dispatch, storage and stacking according to Good Wholesaling
 Practice and Good Distribution Practice.

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- Packaging must be suitable for transportation and should prevent exposure to conditions that could adversely affect the stability and integrity of the product.
- The packaging must be uniform for the duration of the contract period. All products must be packaged in acceptable containers, specifically developed for the product.
- The number of units per shipper pack or original carton must be completed in the Bid Response Document.
- Where a particular stacking and storage configuration is recommended by the supplier, this should be clearly illustrated on the outer packaging.
- Where the contents of the shipper pack represent a standard supply quantity of an item, the following must be adhered to:
  - Outer packaging flanges must be sealed with suitable tape that will clearly display evidence of tampering;.
  - The contents must be packed in neat, uniform rows and columns that will facilitate easy counting when opened.
  - Where the contents of a shipper pack represent a non-standard supply quantity, the following must be adhered to:
  - Outer packaging flanges must be sealed with suitable tape that will clearly display evidence of tampering;.
  - The shipper pack must contain only one product, mixing of multiple products in a single shipper is not allowed;.
  - The outer packaging must be clearly marked as a "Part Box".

### 27.2 LABELLING

- All containers, packaging and cartons must be clearly labelled. Bulk packs must be labelled in letters not less than font size 48.
- The following information must be clearly and indelibly printed on all shipper packs, including any part boxes:
  - Item name as contained in the contract circular and the Master Procurement Catalogue (MPC),
     or Master Health Products List (MHPL), which will replace the MPC.
  - Registered product name (if applicable);
  - Number of units in pack;

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- Batch number;
- Expiry date;
- Storage conditions;
- Barcode.
- Where the contents of the shipper pack require special attention in terms of storage and/or handling,
   e.g. thermolabile, high-scheduled or cytotoxic products, such instructions must be clearly and visibly indicated on the outer packaging on a brightly coloured background.
  - Unit packs must be labelled in accordance with Regulation 10 of the General Regulations published
    in terms of the Medicines and Related Substances Act, 1965 (Act 101 of 1965). The label must
    include a barcode suitable for the identification and tracking of medication.

### 27.3 BARCODES

- All unit and shipper packs must be marked with the appropriate barcode number and symbology.
- The European Article Numbering Code 13 (EAN 13) has been accepted as standard.
- Suppliers are encouraged to include a 2D barcode or similar on their packaging that will include the following information:
  - Item name as contained in the contract circular and the Master Procurement Catalogue (MPC),
     or Master Health Products List (MHPL) which will replace the MPC.
  - The "proprietary name (brand name"/"trade name") unique to a particular medicine, as approved by MCC or SAHPRA;
    - Dosage form and strength;
    - Pack size;
    - Batch number;
    - Expiry date.

### 28 SHELF LIFE

- Unless MCC or SAHPRA, has approved a shorter shelf life, products must have a shelf-life of at least 12 months upon delivery.
- Contracted suppliers may apply in writing to Participating Authorities to supply a product with a shorter shelf life provided that:

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- Applications are accompanied by an undertaking that such short-dated products will be unconditionally replaced or credited before or after expiry; and
- Applications are approved by the Participating Authorities before execution of orders; and
- Upon notification of remaining expired stock such products will be collected by the supplier at their own cost; and
- Failure to collect the products within 30 days after written notification to the supplier will result in the disposal of the product by the Participating Authority for the account of the supplier.
- If short-dated products are delivered without the aforementioned undertaking the following discount formula will be applied for invoicing of short-dated products:
- A = (12 months to date of expiry) x 2% x consignment value short dated product. Therefore, amount to be invoiced is: Consignment value minus A, where A is the value of the outcome of the discount formula.
- Unless otherwise agreed to, any Participating Authority may, without prejudice, decline to accept product with a shelf-life of less than 12 months.

## 29. CEDING, MERGERS, TAKE OVERS AND CHANGES IN SUPPLIER DETAILS

Where a contracted supplier plans to merge with, or is going to be acquired by, another entity or plans to cede a contract the contracted supplier must inform the National Department of Health in writing at first knowledge of such an event.

The National Department of Health reserves the right to agree to the transfer of contractual obligations to the new supplier under the prevailing conditions of contract or to cancel the contract.

A contracted supplier must inform the National Department of Health at first knowledge of any changes to address, name, or contact details and effect these changes on the Central Supplier Database.

### 30. THIRD PARTIES

Participating Authorities will not make a payment to or consult with a third party. No third party is entitled to put an account of a Participating Authority on hold.

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Item No	Description	Therapeutic Class Numbers	Unit	Estimate	
1	Clip, tubal occlusion with mechanical locking device, X-ray detectable sterile unit pack of Unit: pair		Pair	1,600	
2	Clomifene 50mg tablet, 10 tablets		Pack of 10 tablets	4,184	
3	Cyproterone 10mg tablet, 15 tablets		Pack of 15 tablets	5,882	
4	Cyproterone 300mg injection	Class 3	Each	31,330	
5	Cyproterone 50mg tablet, 20 tablets		Pack of 20 tablets	179,654	
6	Cyproterone and Ethinylestradiol 0/2mg (11); 1/2mg (10) and inert (7) tablet, 28 tablets, calendar packed	Class 6	Pack of 28 tablets	101,724	
7	Cyproterone and Ethinylestradiol 2/0.035mg (21) and inert (7) tablet, 28 tablets, calendar packed		Pack of 28 tablets	83,300	
8	Estradiol 1 mg tablet, 28 tablets		Pack of 28 tablets	14,780	
9	Estradiol 2mg tablet, 28 tablets		Pack of 28 tablets	33,320	
10	Estradiol and Norethisterone 1/0.5mg tablet, 28 tablets, calendar packed	Class 5	Pack of 28 tablets	20,060	
11	Estradiol and Norethisterone 2/1mg tablet, 28 tablets, calendar packed	Class 4	Pack of 28 tablets	34,230	
12	Estrogen Conjugated and Medroxyprogesterone 0.625/0mg (14); 0.625/5mg (14) tablet, 28 tablets	Class 6	Pack of 28 tablets	101,724	

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Item No	Description	Therapeutic Class Numbers	Unit	Estimate
13	Estrogens Conjugated 0.3mg tablet, 28 tablets		Pack of 28 tablets	74,084
14	Estrogens Conjugated 0.625mg tablet, 28 tablets		Pack of 28 tablets	732,476
15	Estrogens Conjugated 1.25mg tablet, 28 tablets		Pack of 28 tablets	10,260
16	Estrogens Conjugated and Medroxyprogesterone 0.3/1.5mg tablet, 28 tablets	Class 5	Pack of 28 tablets	20,060
17	Estrogens Conjugated and Medroxyprogesterone 0.625/2.5mg tablet, 28 tablets	Class 5	Pack of 28 tablets	20,060
18	Estrogens Conjugated and Medroxyprogesterone 0.625/5mg tablet, 28 tablets	Class 4	Pack of 28 tablets	34,230
19	Gestodene and Ethinylestradiol 0.075/0.03mg (21) and inert (7) tablet, 28 tablets	Class 2	Pack of 28 tablets	8,835,076
20	Gestodene and Ethinylestradiol triphasic, 0.05/0.03mg (6); 0.07/0.04mg (5); 0.100/0.03mg (10) and inert (7) tablet, 28 tablets, calendar packed	Class 7	Pack of 28 tablets	15,802,774
21	Intra-uterine contraceptive device (IUCD), device + inserter + explanatory booklet. Flexible T-shaped, radio-opaque device with safe load and sound probe. Copper wire, producing 380mm² copper, to be wound around the stem, to which a monofilament thread is attached and around the transverse arms. Device width approximately 32mm; shaft length 36mm, wire diameter 0.4mm. Sterile, individually packed. Must be registered with the SAHPRA. Unit: Each		Each	189,890

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Item No	Description	Therapeutic Class Numbers	Unit	Estimate	
22	Intra-uterine system containing, Levonorgestrel 52 mg, releasing Levonorgestrel 20 mcg/24 hours. Sterile, individually packed unit containing inserter. T-body with removal threads in sealed sterilisation pouch. Unit: each		Each	4,875	
23	Levonorgestrel 0.03mg tablet, 28 tablets, calendar packed	Class 1	Pack of 28 tablets	2,609,912	
24	Levonorgestrel 1.5 mg tablet, 1 tablet		Pack of 1 tablet	237,140	
25	Levonorgestrel and Ethinylestradiol 0.15/0.03mg (21) and inert (7) tablet, 28 tablets	Class 2	Pack of 28 tablets	8,835,076	
26	Levonorgestrel and Ethinylestradiol triphasic, 0.05/0.03mg (6); 0.075/0.04mg (5); 0.125/0.03mg (10) and inert (7) tablet, 28 tablets, calendar packed	Class 7	Pack of 28 tablets	15,802,774	
27	Medroxyprogesterone 10mg tablet, 30 tablets		Pack of 30 tablets	4,490	
28	Medroxyprogesterone 150mg injection		Each	28,527,628	
29	Medroxyprogesterone 150mg injection	Class 3	Each	31,330	
30	Medroxyprogesterone 5mg tablet, 30 tablets		Pack of 30 tablets	131,351	
31	Mifepristone 200mg tablet, 3 tablets		Pack of 3 tablets	57,820	
32	Misoprostol 200mcg tablet, 60 tablets		Pack of 60 tablets	64,678	

Item No	Description	Therapeutic Class Numbers	Unit	Estimate
33	Norethisterone 0.35mg tablet, 28 tablets	Class 1	Pack of 28 tablets	2,609,911
34	Norethisterone 200 mg injection		Each	17,516,872
35	Norethisterone 5mg tablet, 30 tablets		Pack of 30 tablets	24,320
36	Norethisterone and Ethinylestradiol triphasic, 0.5/0.035mg (7); 0.75/0.035mg (7); 1/0.035mg(7) and inert (7) tablet, 28 tablets, calendar packed	Class 7	Pack of 28 tablets	15,802,774
37	Norgestimate and Ethinylestradiol triphasic, 0.18/0.035mg (7); 0.215/0.035mg (7); 0.25/0.035mg (7) and inert (7) tablet, 28 tablets, calendar packed	Class 7	Pack of 28 tablets	15,802,774
38	Norgestrel and Ethinylestradiol monophasic 0.5/0.05mg (21) and inert (7) tablet, 28 tablets, calendar packed		Pack of 28 tablets	3,240,560
39	Ring, fallopian tube, manufactured from dimethylpolysiloxane (silastic) containing two fallopian ring bands and one dilator. Sterile and radio-opaque, one guide must be supplied with every 50 pairs		50 Pairs	600
40	Subdermal implant containing Etonogestrel 68 mg + ready-for-use, disposable applicator (inserter). Sterile, radiopaque, individually packed		Each	726,120