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# ZIMBABWE ELECTRICITY TRANSMISSION & DISTRIBUTION COMPANY



STANDARD
BIDDING
DOCUMENT

For The

**Provision Of Oil Regeneration Services** 

Closing Date : 31 October 2023

Closing Time : 1000 hours

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### Part 1: BIDDING PROCEDURES

#### 1.0 References

The definitions used in the Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Assets Act [Chapter22:23] ("the Act"), the Public Procurement and Disposal of Public Assets (General) Regulations (Statutory Instrument No. 5 of 2018) ("the Regulations") and the General Conditions of Contract for the Procurement of goods apply to this Standard Bidding Document. The Act and the Regulations govern the submission of Bids and should be read by all Bidders.

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### 1.1 Preparation of Bids

You are requested to bid for the items described in the Statement of Requirements below, by completing and returning the following documentation:

- 1. The Bid Submission Sheet in this Part in the format specified in Part 1;
- The Statement of Requirements in Part 2 in the format specified in Part 2;
- All Bidders must complete all schedules without fail for them to be eligible bidders to attach a copy of every document necessary to demonstrate eligibility in terms of section 28 (1) of the Regulations;
- 4. Supplier Registration number showing that you are registered with the Procurement Regulatory Authority of Zimbabwe in the correct category for year 2023; Fuel and Lubricants (**GF003**);
- 5. A bid security of **USD500.00** payable in Zimbabwean Dollars at the RBZ prevailing Interbank rate of the day in the format specified in this part;
- Proof of payment of USD350.00 payable in Zimbabwean Dollars at the RBZ prevailing Interbank rate of the day to the Procurement Regulatory Authority of Zimbabwe Special Procurement Oversight Committee fee;
- 7. A copy of Certificate of Incorporation, CR 14; CR6;
- 8. Proof of registration with ZIMRA;
- 9. Payment terms within 30 days after delivery and must be clearly stated. Invoices will be paid in Zimbabwean dollars at the prevailing Interbank rate on the date of payment;
- 10. Minimum of three (3) Reference lists, i.e. letters from customers with active contact details showing Bidder's (Service Provider's) direct experience in the provision of similar services.
- Validity of Bids shall be 60 days.
- 12. The used oil is in drums at Central Stores. That is where the oil filtration will be done.



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You are advised to carefully read the complete Bidding Document, as well as the Special Conditions of Contract in Part 3: Contract, which are available on the Authority's website, before preparing your Bid. Part 3: Contract is provided not for completion at this stage but to enable Bidders to note the Contract terms they will enter into if their Bid is successful. The standard forms in this document may be retyped for completion but the Bidder is responsible for their accurate reproduction. All pages of the Bid must be clearly marked with the Procurement Reference Number above, the Bidder's name, and any reference number.

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### 1.2 Lots

There are no Lots on this tender.

### 1.3 Number of bids allowed

No Bidder may submit more than one Bid, either individually or as a joint venture partner in another Bid, except as a subcontractor. Conflict of interest will be deemed to arise if Bids are received from more than one Bidder owned, directly or indirectly, by the same person. Bidders should note that only the main offers will be considered. No alternatives or options will be entertained unless on a separate bid.

### 1.4 Clarifications

Clarification of the bidding document may be requested from ZETDC Supply Chain Manager in writing on duly signed company letterhead by email to <a href="mailto:procurement@zetdc.co.zw">procurement@zetdc.co.zw</a> at any time on or before 19 October 2023. If a prospective Tenderer sends an inquiry after the stated date or the inquiry is received by ZETDC after the stated date, ZETDC shall not respond to the inquiry but ignore it.

#### 1.5 Responses to Clarifications

All responses to clarifications will be posted on ZETDC website <a href="www.zetdc.co.zw">www.zetdc.co.zw</a>. Bidders should frequently check for updates on the website until the closing date of the tender.

### 1.6 Eligibility and qualification requirements

Bidders are required to meet the criteria in section 28 of the Act and section 28 (1) of the Regulations to be eligible to participate in public procurement and to be qualified for the proposed Contract. They must therefore

- 1. have the legal capacity to enter into a contract;
- 2. not be insolvent, in receivership, bankrupt or being wound up, not have had business activities suspended and not be the subject of legal proceedings for any of these circumstances;
- 3. have fulfilled their obligations to pay taxes and social security contributions in Zimbabwe;
- 4. not have a conflict of interest in relation to this procurement requirement;

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- 5. not be debarred from participation in public procurement under section 72 (6) of the Act and section 74(1) I, (d) or (e) of the Regulations or declared ineligible under section 99 of the Act;
- 6. have the nationality of an eligible country as specified in the Special Conditions of Contract; and
- 7. have been registered with the Authority as a Supplier and have paid the applicable Supplier Registration Fee set out in Part III of the Fifth Schedule to the Regulations.

In addition to these eligibility requirements, Bidders must demonstrate that they have the qualifications, resources and experience to perform the contract to satisfactory standards, as indicated in the Statement of Requirements.

Participation in this bidding procedure is restricted to Zimbabwean bidders and must attach Certification of Incorporation to confirm this.

### 1.7 Pre-bid meeting and Site Visit

No pre-bid meeting and Site Visit has been organized.

### 1.8 Validity of Bids

The minimum period for which the Bidder's bid must remain valid is sixty (60) days from the deadline for the submission of bids.

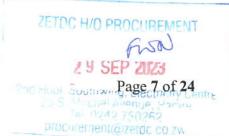
### 1.9 Submission of Bids

Bids must be submitted in writing in a sealed envelope to the address below, not later than the date and time of the deadline below. It is the Bidder's responsibility to ensure that they receive a receipt confirming submission of their bid that has correct details of the Bidder and the number of the Bid.

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

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

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



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Date of deadline:	31 October 2023	Deadline Time:	10:00 hours
	ZIMBABWE ELECTRICITY TRANS COMPANY (ZETDC)	SMISSION & DI	STRIBUTION
Submission address:	Ground Floor, Electricity Centre		
	25 Samora Machel Avenue		
	Harare		
Means of acceptance:	Bids in the sealed envelopes shall be deposited in a tender box situated at the above address. All the bidders should record their bids in the tender submission register situated thereto, in the formal prescribed in the register.		

### 1.10 Bid Opening

Bidders and their representatives may witness the opening of bids which will take place at the submission address immediately following the deadline.

#### 1.11 Withdrawal, amendment or modification of Bids

A Bidder may withdraw, substitute, or modify its Bid after it has been submitted by sending a written notice, duly signed by an authorized representative. However, no Bid may be withdrawn, substituted, or modified in the interval between the deadline for submission of Bids and the expiration of the period of Bid validity specified by the Bidder or any extension of that period.

### 1.12 Bid Prices and Discounts

The prices and discounts quoted by the Bidder in the Bid Submission Form and in the Price Schedules must conform to the requirements specified in the Price Schedule included in Part 2: Statement of Requirements.

### 1.13 Bid Security

The Bidder must provide a bid security of **USD500.00** payable in Zimbabwean Dollars at the RBZ prevailing Interbank rate of the day in the following form:

First Option.

A certified bank cheque; or

Second Option.

A bank guarantee; or

Third Option. A refundable cash deposit of **USD500.00** payable in Zimabwean Dollars at the RBZ prevailing Interbank rate of the day to the Procurement Regulatory Authority of Zimbabwe (PRAZ) –

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If the third option is chosen, bidders must also submit proof of payment of non-refundable Bid Bond establishment fees of USD150.00 payable in Zimbabwean Dollars at the RBZ prevailing Interbank rate of the day.

### IF A BIDDER CHOOSES SECOND AND THIRD OPTIONS THE FOLLOWING SHOULD BE NOTED:

### Second Option

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

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

The Bank Guarantee of the unsuccessful bidders will be released immediately after the award of the Tender while that of the winning bidder will only be released after signing of the contract.

### **Third Option**

1. If Option 3 is chosen bidders must pay USD500.00 payable in Zimbabwean Dollars at the RBZ prevailing Interbank rate of the day for the Bid Security that shall be Refundable at the end of the bid validity period plus another USD150.00 that shall be non-refundable for cash bid bond establishment fee in line with Part V of the Procurement Regulations (S.I.193 of 2022). The amount is payable at Procurement Regulatory Authority of Zimbabwe (PRAZ), 9th Floor, Pearl House, 61 Samora Machel A venue, Harare or to be deposited in the following account numbers:

#### 2 NON-REFUNDABLE (LOCAL)

BANK NAME:

COMMERCIAL BANK OF ZIMBABWE

ACCOUNT NAME:

PROCUREMENT REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF ZIMBABWE

ACCOUNT NUMBER:01121064850020

BRANCH:

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#### REFUNDABLE (LOCAL) 3

BANK NAME:

COMMERCIAL BANK OF ZIMBABWE

ACCOUNT NAME: PROCUREMENT REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF ZIMBABWE

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NB: The bid security shall be valid for sixty (60) days after the closing of this tender and the original proof of payment must be submitted together with the bid.

Any bid not accompanied by a Bid Security in accordance with section 26 (3) of the Regulations, will be rejected by the Procuring Entity as non-responsive.

#### 1.14 Evaluation of Bids

Bids will be evaluated using the following methodology:

- 1. Preliminary examination to confirm that all documents required have been provided, to confirm the eligibility of Bidders in terms of section 28(1) of the Regulation and to confirm that the Bid is administratively compliant in terms of section 28(2) of the Regulation.
- Technical evaluation to determine their substantial responsiveness to the specifications in the Statement of Requirements;
- 3. Financial evaluation and comparison to determine the evaluated price of Bids and to determine the lowest evaluated Bid.

Bids failing any stage will be eliminated and not considered in subsequent stages.

### 1.15 Review by the Special Procurement Oversight Committee (SPOC)

Section 54 of the Act provides for review by the SPOC. This requirement will be subject to SPOC.

### 1.16 Currency

Bids should be priced in United States Dollars.

### 1.17 Award of Contract

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The lowest evaluated bid after the application of any additional evaluation criteria, including any margin of preference, which is substantially responsive to the requirements of this Bidding Document will be recommended for award of the contract. The proposed award of contract will be by issue of a Notification of Contract Award in terms of section 55 of the Act, which will be effective until signature of the contract documents in accordance with Part 3: Contract. Unsuccessful Bidders will receive the Notification of Contract Award and, if they consider they have suffered prejudice from the process, they may, within 14 days of receiving this Notification, submit to the Procuring Entity a Challenge in terms of section 73 of the Act, subject to payment of the applicable fee set out in section 44 of and the Third Schedule to the Regulations.

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### 1.13 Right to Reject

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

### 1.19 Corrupt Practices

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

- the Procuring Entity will reject a recommendation for award if it determines that the Bidder recommended for award has, directly or through an agent, engaged in corrupt, fraudulent, collusive or coercive practices in competing for the Contract or has been declared ineligible to be awarded a procurement contract under section 99 of the Act;
- 2. the Authority may under section 72 (6) of the Act impose debarment and other sanctions under section 74 (1) of the Regulations; and
- 3. Any conflict of interest on the part of the Bidder must be declared.



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### 1.20 Bid Submission Sheet

{Note to Bidders: Complete this form with all the requested details and submit it as the first page of your Bid. Attach the Price Schedule and Statement of Methodology, Work Plan and Schedule together with any other documents requested in Part 1. Any variation from the Statement of Requirements should be indicated in the Statement of Methodology, Work Plan and Schedule, otherwise you commit to complying fully with these Requirements.

Ensure that your Bid is authorised in the signature block below. A signature and authorisation on this form will confirm that the terms and conditions of this Bid prevail over any attachments. If your Bid is not authorised, it may be rejected. If the Bidder is a Joint Venture (JV), the Bid must be signed by an authorized representative of the JV on behalf of the JV, and so as to be legally binding on all the members as evidenced by a power of attorney signed by their legally authorized representatives.

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

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Subject of Procurement:	
Name of Bidder:	
Bidder's Reference Number:	
Date of Bid:	

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

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

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

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

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

### Bid Authorised By:

Signature		Name:
Position:		Date:(DD/MM/YY)
Authorised fo	or and on behalf of:	
Company		
Address:		
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Bidder's Name:	
Bidder's Reference Number:	

### Currency of Bid - USD

Item No¹	Description of Goods	Qty <sup>2</sup>	Unit Price Excl. VAT <sup>3</sup>	Total Price Excl. VAT <sup>4</sup>
1	Regeneration of Transformer oil	250 000 Litres		
			Total	
			VAT (15%)	
			Sub Total	

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2.2 Delivery Schedule

Item No.	Description of Goods	ZETDC Delivery Period	ZETDC Delivery Period
			{to be provided by the Bidder}
1	Regeneration of Transformer oil	Filtration to be done 24/7, subject to successful contract negotiations, until the completion of the 250 000 litres	

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

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

ZETDC Central Stores, No 1 Harare Drive, Ardbennie, Harare, Zimbabwe



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### 2.3 TECHNICAL SPECIFICATION FOR OIL REGENERATION SERVICES

#### 2.3.1 ABBREVIATIONS AND DEFINITIONS

- 1) PPM Parts per million
- 2) kV Kilovolts

#### 2.3.2 SCOPE

This Specification calls for the regeneration of used transformer oil. No additional chemicals shall be added to the oil, the regeneration should remove acids and water from the oil.

The oil shall be regenerated at ZETDC Central Stores. Storage of the regenerated oil shall be in new 210litre drums.

Tenderers shall include a complete statement of compliance with this Specification. For every clause in this Specification the Tenderers shall state compliance or non-compliance and shall elaborate where appropriate.

Tenderers shall use the words "comply", "do not comply" with this Specification or in the clauses of an informative nature, "noted". Where the words "do not comply" are used the Tenderer shall state whether modifications could be made and whether modifications would be undertaken. The cost implications of such modifications must be indicated in the statement of compliance as well as the pricing schedules.

The regenerated oil shall fulfill properties listed in the Technical Guarantee Schedule after regeneration:

#### 2.3.3 PARTICULARS OF ELECTRICAL SYSTEM

The oil shall be used under the following system conditions: -

- a) Transformers with sizes from 10kVA to 140MVA.
- b) Operated at 50Hz variable between plus or minus 2.5%
- c) Maximum system voltages of 400kV (+- 10%).
- d) Earthed so that the earth fault factor will be less than 1.5 at any location.
- e) Maximum Short circuit current of 31.5kA for both 33kV and 11kV networks.

#### 2.3.4 PARTICULARS OF THE ENVIRONMENT

The regenerated transformer oil shall be capable of operation under the following environmental conditions: -

- a) At an average altitude of 1 500m above sea level.
- b) Ambient air temperatures never above +45°C or below -10°C with a maximum daily average of 35°C.
- c) Exposed to direct tropical sun.



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- d) Subject to wind pressure not exceeding 700N/mm square.
- e) Humidity 13gm/m³ absolute and 54% relative before storms with vapour pressure 17mm hg.
- f) Equipment will operate within the tropics and is subject to sudden ambient air temperature changes of the order of 10 degrees centigrade occurring at the onset of rain, but the barometric pressure at any given place does not vary by more than approximately 10mm mercury. Frequent and severe lightning storms occur during summer months, with isoceraunic levels varying between 50 and 110 thunderstorm days per annum.
- g) Particular attention should be paid in the design of all equipment to ensure that there is no damage to working parts or insulation through the ingress of dust, insects, vermin which are prevalent for long periods in the year.

#### 2.3.5 TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS

The following standards are applicable in this specification: IEC 60296.

Where there is conflict between ZETDC specifications and the standards, ZETDC specifications shall prevail.

### 2.3.5.1 Properties of Regenerated Transformer Oil

The regenerated transformer oil should conform to the following:

- 1) The breakdown/dielectric strength shall be 30 kV or better using a 2.5 mm gap cell.
- 2) The moisture at 20 degrees Celsius shall be 30 PPM or less.

### 2.3.6 TRANSPORTATION AND STORAGE OF REGENERATED TRANSFORMER OIL

Transformer oil is an inflammable liquid and thus care should be taken during transportation and storage. Naked flames and/or highly inflammable substances should be kept at a distance from the transformer oil so as to avoid fires that could destroy the transformer oil.

### 2.3.6.1 Electrical discharge during transportation and storage.

Material used for containers for storage and transportation of transformer oil should have a relatively low affinity to accumulation of electrical charge/electrostatic (Q in coulombs), so as to avoid electrical discharge, which can result in sparks and causes fires.

### 2.3.6.3 Earthing of Storage Tanks

All Storage tanks/equipment should be solidly earthed, to avoid sparks that may arise as a result of the accumulation of electrostatic charge which can spark and start fires.

### 2.3.6.4 Packaging

The oil shall be packed in 210Litre drums.



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#### 2.3.7 SCHEDULE OF COMPLIANCE WITH ZETDC SPECIFICATIONS

Bidders shall complete the Table shown below, indicating the guaranteed values for the new oil in compliance with IEC 60296.

Item	Description	UOM	Required	Reference and /or test method	Actual offered	Remarks
1.0	Breakdown	kV	≥ 30			
2.0	Moisture	ppm	≤ 30			
3.0	Acidity	рН	0.30	-		

#### 2.3.8 IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- 1. All the filtration will be done at Central Stores, No.1 Ardbenie Road, Southerton, Harare.
- 2. Contractor to bring their own filtration plant(s).
- 3. Filtration to be done 24/7, subject to successful contract negotiations, until the completion of the 250 000 litres.
- 4. ZETDC to provide power and the power points, at no additional cost to the Contractor.
- 5. ZETDC will provide clean, empty containers such as 210 litre drums for the storage and evacuation of the regenerated oil.
- 6. ZETDC will provide security 24/7 for the filtration plant.
- 7. ZETDC will manage the disposal of any sludge or any other by-products emanating from the oil regeneration processes.
- 8. All the regeneration process to be done from the Hard Stand, where any spillages will be contained by the Decanter system.
- 9. Samples of regenerated oil will be tested for compliance by ZETDC, at no additional cost to the Contractor.



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2.4 De	claration Of Conflict/No	n Conflict Of Interest A	and Non-Disclos	ure Form	
То:	The Managing Director ( Zimbabwe Electricity Tra 2nd Floor, Electricity Ce 25 Samora Machel Aver HARARE	ansmission & Distribution ntre	Company (Priva	te) Limited	
RE:	DECLARATION OF CO	NFLICT OF INTEREST			
the of	tender declare as follows:	for	the	procureme	n
I decla prever	re that to the best of my tall and impartial parties to the below:-	articipation of tender num	nber		nis
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### NOTES

Signature

Conflict of interest refers to situations in which personal interests (which may include but not limited to financial interests) may compromise, or have the appearance of, or potential for, compromising professional judgment and integrity and, in doing so, the best interests of the company.

Date

### Examples of conflict of interest

- Having a financial interest in a potential tenderer, supplier, business partner, vendor or any other company or organization which does business or intends to do business with Zimbabwe Electricity Transmission & Distribution Company.
- Being employed by (as staff member or volunteer) or providing service to any potential tenderer or existing supplier, vendor or business partner
- Being a member of a potential tenderer or existing supplier's or vendor's management executive or Board member.
- Receiving any kind of monetary payment or non-monetary gift or incentive (including hospitality) from any tenderer, existing supplier or its representative.
- Canvassing or negotiating with any person with a view to enter into any of the arrangements stated above.
- Having a close member of your family (which term includes unmarried partners) or personal friends who fall into any of the categories outlined above

NB: The above is a non-exhaustive list of examples, and it is the responsibility of each Director to ensure that any and all potential conflicts, whether or not of the type listed above, are disclosed.

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Name of Bidder:			
Name of bidder.			
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Physical Address:			
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Active Telephone Nun	nbers:		
Active email Address:			
Tick the Option chos	sen to pav Bid	Security	
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### 2.6 Declaration by the Accounting Officer

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

Eng. H. Choga

Signed

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Date

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Part 3: CONTRACT

### CONTRACT AGREEMENT

{For completion with the authorised representative of the Procuring Entity following Notification of Contract Award.}

Procurement Reference: .....

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

### **BETWEEN**

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

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

#### THE PROCURING ENTITY AND THE CONTRACTOR AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

- In this Agreement words and expressions shall have the same meanings as are respectively assigned to them in the General and Special Conditions of Contract referred to below.
- 2. The following documents shall constitute the Contract between the Procuring Entity and the Contractor, and each shall be read and construed as an integral part of the Contract:
  - (a) This Contract Agreement;
  - (b) Special Conditions of Contract:
  - (c) General Conditions of Contract;
  - (d) Schedule of Requirements;



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- (e) The Contractor's Bid Submission Sheet, List of Services and Price Schedule and Statement of Methodology, Work Plan and Schedule;
- (f) The Procuring Entity's Notification of Contract Award;
- (g) [Add here any other document(s)].
- This Contract Agreement shall prevail over all other Contract documents. In the event
  of any discrepancy or inconsistency within the Contract Documents, then the
  documents shall prevail in the order listed above.
- 4. In consideration for the payments to be made by the Procuring Entity to the Contractor as mentioned below, the Contractor hereby agrees with the Procuring Entity to provide the Services and to remedy any defects in them in conformity with the Contract.
- 5. The Procuring Entity hereby agrees to pay the Contractor, in consideration for the performance of the Services and the remedying of any defects in them, the Contract Price or such other sum as may become payable under the Contract at the times and in the manner prescribed by the Contract.

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

### For and on behalf of the Procuring Entity

Signed:

Name:	
In the capacity of:	[Title or other appropriate designation]
For and on behalf	of the Contractor
Signed:	
Name:	

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### **General Conditions of Contract**

Any resulting contract is subject to the Zimbabwe General Conditions of Contract (GCC) for the Procurement of goods (copy available on the Authority's website) except where modified by the Special Conditions below.

### **Special Conditions of Contract**

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

GCC reference	Special Conditions
GCC 3.6 and 8.1	Authorised representatives:
	<ol> <li>The authorised representative of the Procuring Entity is [names and contact details, including address for delivery of notices].</li> </ol>
	<ol><li>The authorised representative of the Contractor is {names and contact details, including address for delivery of notices}.</li></ol>
GCC 7.4	Ineligible countries: Nationals of the following countries are ineligible to be a Contractor or Sub-Contractor under this Contract. None
GCC 18.1	Liquidated damages: Liquidated Damages in terms of section 88 of the Act shall/ apply at a rate of one percent (1%) of the total cost of the order/job card per hour up to a maximum of 120 hours after which the contract may be cancelled.
GCC 19.1	Commencement of Services: The date or period of time for commencement of services is after signing of the contract and receipt of the order.
GCC 20.1	Completion of Services: The date for completion of Services or the period within which the Services are required to be performed is 10 hours on an underground cable whose spans length is up to 10km, after receipt of order.
GCC 22.2	Contract price: Costs specifically excluded from the Contract price are [list excluded cost items].

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GCC 22.3	Payment schedule: The terms of payment shall be [State:
	<ol> <li>For regularly performed services: the specified period (usually one calendar month) for which payment will be made for the total amount of Services performed during that period;</li> </ol>
GCC 23.1	Price adjustment: [State whether prices will be fixed for the Contract Period or any adjustment factor that shall apply.]
GCC 24.2	Payment procedure: [State any other documentation that must accompany the Contractor's invoice.]
GCC 28.1	Insurance to be taken out by the Contractor:
	[The risks and the coverage shall be as follows:
	(a) Third Party motor vehicle liability insurance in respect of motor vehicles operated in Zimbabwe by the Contractor or its Personnel or any Sub-Contractor or their Personnel, with a minimum coverage of [insert amount and currency];
	(b) Third Party liability insurance, with a minimum coverage of [insert amount and currency];
	(c) professional liability insurance, with a minimum coverage of [insert amount and currency];
	(d) employer's liability and workers' compensation insurance in respect of the Personnel of the Contractor and of any Sub- Contractor, in accordance with the relevant provisions of laws of Zimbabwe, as well as, with respect to such Personnel, any such life, health, accident, travel or other insurance as may be appropriate; and
	(e) insurance against loss of or damage to equipment purchased in whole or in part with funds provided under this Contract.
	[Note: Delete what is not applicable].
GCC 30.1	Contract Administration Fee: The Contract Administration Fee set out in Part V of the Fifth Schedule of the Regulations is due upon the signing of the Contract and the applicable Fee is \$ [State applicable Fee or delete].

