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IMPORTANT NOTICE TO BIDDERS

DECLARATION OF INTERESTS IN TERMS OF MBD 4

Dear Prospective Bidders,

As part of our commitment to upholding transparency, fairness, and ethical practices in our procurement processes, we wish to draw your attention to the critical requirement outlined in MBD 4. In terms of question 3.13 that requires the directors, trustees, managers, principal shareholders, or stakeholders of the company to declare any interest they have in any other related companies or business whether or not they are bidding for the contract. The question requires all the directors of the company are to declare any other directorship/shares/trust/stake held in any other company.

It has come to our attention that there have been instances where certain bidders have not diligently disclosed their interests as stipulated in the MBD 4 requirements. We emphasise the significance of full compliance in this regard and urge all bidders to ensure thoroughness and accuracy in declaring any associations, affiliations, or directorships held within other companies even if they are not bidding for the same tender.

Failure to declare such interests, as explicitly required, constitutes a false declaration, which carries serious consequences as bidders are disqualified in terms of the Municipal Supply Chain Regulations (MSCR) 38(g)(i). We emphasise that any undisclosed interests discovered during the verification process conducted by the JRA will result in immediate disqualification of the bidder concerned.

Please note that the scope of declaration extends beyond companies registered or deregistered on the Companies and Intellectual Property Commission (CIPC). It encompasses all forms of interests, including but not limited to trusts, principal shareholders, or stakeholders that may not be listed on the CIPC platform.

To safeguard the integrity of the procurement process and ensure a level playing field for all bidders, we strongly encourage utmost diligence and comprehensive disclosure of all relevant interests. Your cooperation in this matter is pivotal in upholding the principles of fairness and transparency that underpin our procurement procedures.

Should you have any queries or require clarification regarding the declaration of interests, please do not hesitate to contact our SCM department for assistance by email to tenderenquiries@jira.org.za.

Thank you for your attention to this matter, and we appreciate your commitment to ethical practices in bidding for contracts with us.


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